THE WEATHER.

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PRESIDENT NOW IN WASHINGTON

Given Most Cordial Greeting at Capital After Long Absence.

GREETING AT WHITE HOUSE

Members of Cabinet Extend Him Hearty Welcome—Ready to Write Message to Congress—Another Address Today.

Washington, Nov. 10.—After an absence of more than three months during whch he made a 13,000 mile trip through the West and South President Taft sleeps tonight in the White House.

He left the Capital August 6th last with the cheers of the crowds ringing in his ears. He returned tonight to the tune of the same cheers, but he tarried only a moment with the various welcoming parties His objective point was the White House and Mrs. Taft and as quickly as he could get away from the brief speeches of welcome he climbed into his big automobile. The chauffeur broke all the speed records of the district on the last leg of the President's record-making journey.

When Mr. Taft alighted at the White House he ran quickly up the steps, turned for a moment and waved a smiling farewell to Fred Carpenter, his secretary, Colonel Spencer Cosby and Captain Archie Butt, his two military aides, who had accompanied him from the station. Then the big swinging doors of the White House swallowed him.

The President shook hands with the two negro door men who were smiling a welcome that showed every tooth in their heads. After the President had disappeared above where Mrs. Taft had been apprised of his return, he did not show himself again tonght, not to even visit the new executive office which was lighted and decorated for his inspection.

Two hours before President's train was due the crowds began to fill the Union station.

When the train rolled in from Richmond on time at 8:35 o'clock there was an imposing throng of persons on the patform.

Among the throng were Secretary Carpenter, Colonel Cosby and Assistant Secretary of War Oliver.

The district government was represented in the person of Commissioner West.

In spite of th "dress rehearsal" of the cabinet held at the Department of Justice last Monday night there were some violations of ethics in wearing appearal. Secretary Nagel daringly wore a white tie with his frock coat and a silk hat, and this lapse seemed to jar the aesthetic natures of some of his fellow statesmen. In any event, Secretary Nagel and five other members of the Cabinet, disappeared quickly, leaving Secretary Knox and Postmaster General Hitchicock with the President. The three conversed earnestly for two or three minutes, after which Mr. Taft made his way to the White House automobile.

When President Taft spoke at the city auditorium in Richmond this afternoon, he made his 266th speech of his long speech which according to the itinerary consisted of 12,759 miles but with side trips amounted to more than 13,000.

On the train during the trip from Richmond this afternoon the President had an extended conference with secretary of Navy Mayer taking up with him and disposing of a number of matters that have been pending in the Department including the scheme of reorganization. The results of the conference, it was stated, would be announced in Washington after Secretary Meyer has worked out the plans decided upon.

President Taft declared to members of his party tonight that outside of an impatience to be with Mrs. Taft again, he would not mind if the trip should continue two or three weeks longer.

Mr. Taft's stay in Washington will be brief as he leaves tomorrow afternoon for Middletown and Hartford, Conn., and in the meantime must deliver an address in Washington tomorrow before the Laymans Missionary Society. The President returns to Washington shortly before noon on Saturday and Monday morning will settle down to the routine work of his office. His message to Congress is so well denned in his mind and has been so well outlined in his speeches that it will require but a brief time in dictation.

One of the last acts of the President on his trip was to call Gerrit Fort, of the New York Central lines, into the car Mayflower this afternoon and to thank him for the manner in which the trip has been carried out under his direction. In all of the 13,000 miles of travel the train has everywhere been on time.

President Taft said tonight that he would not make any of the important diplomatic appointments that are pending until after January 1st. He will not fill the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench until after Congress meets.

A STORM SWEEPS JAMAICA

Feared Great Havoc Has Been Wrought on the Island—Earthquake Believed to be Responsible—Damage.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 10.—All of the land lines are down as a result of a storm that has swept this section. Communication with the interior and neighboring islands is impossible. Floods followed the wind storm and floods came unabated.

Santiago, Cuba, Nov. 10.—No details of the damage done by the storm which has swept over the island of Jamaica have reached here. While cable communication between Santiago and Holland Bay, Jamaica, has not been interrupted, the latter place is not in touch with Kingston because the government telegraph lines are down. It is believed that Kingston and vicinity suffered more than any part of the island, but the extent of the damage can not be ascertained.

New York, Nov. 10.—Some violent under-sea disturbance possibly an earthquake is believed to have been responsible for the interruption of cable communication with the West Indies during the past few days. Although a message from Kingston, Jamaica, reporting a disastrous windstorm and flood on the island got through by a circuitous route today, officials of the Commercial Cable Company say that such a storm would not be likely to affect seriously the underwater lines of cable. For this reason it is believed that something unusual has happened to the ocean's bottom.

Colon, Nov. 10.—Communication between this place and the Bull Bay cable station, Jamaica, was re-established for a short time Monday afternoon, but was lost again and there has been no word from that point since. The sea here is very high and another storm from the north seems to threaten. It was reported here tonight that Porto Rico and some of the other West Indian islands besides Jamaica had been cut off, which would seem to indicate that perhaps another earthquake had occurred at Jamaica.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 10.—Jamaica has been cut off from the outside world for nearly five days as the result of a hurricane which began there Saturday night. Owing to the unusual interruption it is feared here that great damage has been done. Jamaica is in no condition to stand another disaster. Upon the crops which were ripening depended in a considerable measure the future financial standing of the island, which was swept by a hurricane four years ago and suffered a serious earthquake and fire in 1907. All efforts to restore the cable connections of the direct West India Company have failed.

VIRGINIA METHODISTS.

Conference Will Ask for State Wide Prohibition—Meeting.

Newport News, Va., Nov. 10.—Though no report on the subject has been submitted, it is considered highly probable that a declaration in favor of immediate steps looking toward State-wide prohibition legislation will be made by the Methodist conference of Virginia which convened here today for its annual session. As the most active leaders of the Anti-Saloon League, including Superintendent Jas. C. Cannon, Jr., are members of the conference, it is assumed that any action taken during the sesion here will forecast the action of the State anti-saloon league.

The conference met this morning with Bishop Morrison presiding and about 400 delegates attending. It is estimated that there are 300 other visitors here in connection with the gathering.

Next to the temperance question the Randolph-Macon Carnegie foundation controversy, which is to be taken up tomorrow morning, is occupying the attention of the delegates. Dr. James Cannon, Jr., chairman of the conference committee reported today a resolution providing that the conference contribution to the Randolph-Macon college be increased substantially but further setting forth that in the event the trustees rescind or amend their resolution giving the conference the authority to approve members elected to the board, all money contributed by the conference shall be refunded. A statement from a number of the trustees to the effect that they will not be bound by their resolution if it is not consistent with their oaths of office, followed, and the whole matter was laid over for discussion tomorrow.

PELLAGRA IN UNITED STATES.

From Two Thousand to Two Million Cases in This Country.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 10.—Physicians attending the Medical Association of the Southwest today estimated variously at from 2,000 to 2,000,000, the number of cases of pellagra in the United States. Dr. John T. Moore, of Houston, said that Southern newspapers hurt the South by exaggerating the spread of pellagra.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Directors Will Arrange for Coming Season Friday.

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 10.—A meeting of the directors of the Eastern Carolina League today has been called to meet here on Friday to elect officers and make arrangements for next season. It is expected that Durham will apply for membership.

WARRINER THEFT WILL BE EXPOSED

Woman Declares She Will Tell Story of Big Railroad Robbery.

QUARREL CAUSE BREAK DOWN

Claims of Blackmail and Heavy Speculating Made by Accused—Sensational Turn in Case—Awaits the Trial.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Jeanette Stewart, also known as Mrs. Ford, one of the women accused by Charles L. Warriner, defaulting local treasurer of the Big Four Railroad, of having shared in his speculation by blackmailing him, declared tonight she would tell the whole inside story of the $643,000 theft when the case came to court. Mrs. Stewart denied she had ever received money from Warriner.

The sudden breaking of her silence was caused, according to her by a quarrel which she had with another woman, who has also been mentioned by Warriner. This quarrel resulted in the attachment of Mrs. Stewart's furniture today. The officers who made the attachment were quickly followed by reporters; and in the stress of excitement Mrs. Stewart's reserve broke down.

"I never received a cent from Chas. Warriner," she said, "and I never gave any information to the railroad about his shortage. It was another woman that did it all; a woman I thought was my friend. I know the whole story and I will tel it in court too."

One of the women said to be involved in the case started to leave Cincinnati tonight, but was advised by detectives that if she left the city her arrest would follow. She then abandoned the plan.

At present the question that is exercising the railroad officials: "What became of $643,000 which Warriner admits having stolen?"

Warriner says he lost it in stock speculation and in satisfying the demands of blackmailers, but that explanation is not satisfactory to the officials.

Warriner says he is penniless and his neighbors at his home in Wyoming, Ohio, declare that he is a sick man.

It is admitted by railroad officers that Warriner might have continued his peculations indefinitely if he had not been betrayed by a woman, so great was his superior's confidence in him.

FOURTEEN WERE KILLED.

Runaway Coach Crashed Into Passenger Car With Terrific Force.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 10.—Fourteen persons were killed and seven injured, two perhaps fatally, today when a runaway car crashed into a crowded passenger car on the British Columbia Electric Railway Company's Interurban line. The motorman and conductor of the freight car were among the killed. The passengers were mostly working men bound for New Westminster.

Virtually every person in the passenger car was killed or injured.

The passenger car left the Vancouver station just behind an electric freight train containing a flat car laden with heavy timbers. Three miles out, at the head of a grade, the coupling of the lumber car broke and it started back.

When the impack occurred the heavy timbers of the flat car slid forward and ripped the passenger car level with the floor. Not a sliver was left standing of the passenger car.

POSTOFFICE DEFICITS

Stewart Urges Virginia Postmasters to Cut Down Expenses.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 10.—Second Assistant Postmaster General Joseph Stewart in addressing here today the third annual convention of Virginia Postmasters reminded them incidentally, but with considerable force of language, that Postmaster General Hitchcock was seeking in every way to cut down present Postoffice Department deficits and urged that they use all diligence in cutting expenses wherever they could. Mr. Stewart said the government sent mail over 215,000 miles of railroad trackage in America paying for this $44,000,000 annually with an extra cost of $4,000,000 annually for mail cars.

FOUND CIVIL SERVICE GOOD

Commissioner McIlhenny Examined Officers in South and West.

Washington, Nov. 10.—"I found but a few serious infractions of the Civil Service rules; nearly all the irregularities called to my attention were of a minor character, such as were due to a misunderstanding of the regulations and easily corrected after being explained to the officials."

The above statement was made by Civil Service Commissioner John A. McIlhenny, who has just returned from a three months tour of examination of offices in the South and West, where the Civil Service rules are in force.

AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Negro Sentenced to Electrocution Again Reprieved—No Opinions by Supreme Court—Sales of Tobacco—Notes.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 10.—Walter Morrison, the Robeson county negro under sentence of death for criminal assault, is again reprieved by Governor Kitchin at the request of the penitentiary authorities, this making his third reprieve. Morrison is reprieved this time from November 12th, to January 15th. Each reprieve has been because of continued delay in the installation of the electric chair. The last Legislature stipulated that it be equipped in the State's prison for all future executions of death sentences in this State.

On account of the obsence of Associate Justice Platt D. Walker, from the city the Supreme Court failed to file the usual weeks' delivery of opinions this evening. Judge Walker has been obliged to leave the city for a few days on account of trouble with his eyes.

The report of October sales of leaf tobacco in North Carolina markets show 27,069,158 pounds, Wilson leading with 3,126,337; other east Carolina markets are: Kinston, 2,465,797; Greenville, 2,062,569; Rocky Mount, 1,515,677; Goldsboro, 616,716; Warsaw 330,650.

Dr. A. T. Cotton, a highly esteemed practicing physician of Raleigh, died this morning at 2:15 o'clock at Rex Hospital after a brief illness aged 65 years. He was a native of Wake county, having practiced at Morrisville, this county, for many years. His health failed a number of years ago and he went to Florida, acquiring quite an estate there. Later when his health improved he returned to Raleigh and has practiced here for a number of years past.

On account of the death of Dr. Cotton the service that was to be held today dedicating the Rex Hospital is postponed to a date to be announced later.

Sergeant John Waddpgton, U. S. A., detailed from Fort Leavenworth for service in this State under the direction of Adjutant General Armfield in instructing the men of the National Guard, is meeting with fine success in training Company E., Third Regiment here, the first he has undertaken in the State. There are already on file applications for him to go as soon as possible to High Point, Shelby, Gastonia, Greensboro and Washington. Other applications are coming in right along.

DRAINAGE CONGRESS.

Delegates Already Arriving at Newbern—The Entertainment.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 10.—Delegates to the second annual convention of the North Carolina Drainage Association, which convenes here at 10 A. M. tomorrow, have been arriving all day, coming from all sections of the State, though the largest number are expected on the morning train tomorrow. Preparations have been made for 400 delegates. President John Wilkerson, of the Association, arrived last night and will call the convention to order tomorrow morning. Mayor C. J. McCarthy will make the welcome address. Congressman John H. Small will be the first speaker on the drainage question and will be followed by Hon. J. O. Wright, of Washington, D. C.

Among other prominent speakers at tomorrow's sesion is Josephus Daniels, editor of the News and Observer; E. W. Meyers ,of Greensboro; Thos. W. Blount, of Roper, N. C.; and R. E. Snowden, of Snowden, N. C. The discussion on the question, "Is Drainage of North Carolina Swamp Lands Practical," will be led by State Geologist Joseph Hyde Pratt and O. B. Lukens, of Moyock, N. C. The Treasury Department, at request of Congressman C. R. Thomas, has put the Revenue Cutter Pamlico at the disposal of the delegates and a trip will be tendered the delegates down the river Friday morning and the closing session of the convention will be held in the afternoon.

OUTLINES.

President Taft's swing around the country ended with his arrival in Washington last night. The recommendations he will make to Congress in his first annual message was the keynote of his Richmond speech——Jamaica has been storm swept and it is feared that great damage has been wrought. Communication with the island is cut off——The trial of Mme. Steinheil in Paris continues to excite interest and on account of the recent unexpected turn in the case favoring the accused may be abandoned——Mrs. Jeanette Stewart, one of the women accused by Charles Warriner of having shared in his big theft from the Big Four Railroad by speculation and blackmailing, declares she will tell the inside story of the robbery——Strang, driving a Fiat, won two races in the speedway meet in Atlanta yesterday——Mrs. Frances Potter made an address on woman suffrage before the American Federation of Labor yesterday——New York markets: Money on call strong 4 to 5 3-4 per cent., ruling rate 5, closing bid 3 1-4, offered at 3 1-2. Flour about steady with a slow trade. Wheat spot firm No. 2 red 1.25 asked domestic elevator and 1.24 1-2 asked to arrive f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot steady, No. 2, 71 1-2 asked elevator domestic, 72 nominal delivered and 70 1-2 asked f.o.b. afloat. Turpentine easy. Rosin steady.

STEINHEIL TRIAL EXCITES INTEREST

Unexpected Turn in Case With Testimony Favoring Accused.

MYSTERY REMAINS UNSOLVED

Mass of Contradictions in the Case. Maurice Borderel Believes She Innocent—Trial is Exciting Interest.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The testimony today in the trial of Mme Steinheil charged with the murder of her husband and her step-mother was distinctly favorable to the defendant. Marietta Welfe, the cook in the Steinheil household, and her son Alexander, whose appearance was awaited with profound interest, threw no new light on the mystery, but by a further mass of contradictions strengthened the impression in the accused's favor. Mme Steinheil's nurse also retracted her previous deposition in which she expressed the opinion that the defendant's illness after the crime was simulated, and Maurice Borderel, a wealthy merchant, whom the State assumes Mme Steheil desired to marry, testified to his absolute belief in her innocence. The State's circumstantial case against Mme. Steinheil seems to be rapidly breaking down and it is already rumored that the trial may be abandoned and a new investigation ordered.

Anti-Dreyfus papers like the Libre Parole and the Patrie have again begun to revamp their previous insinuations that the crime involved a political plot for the destruction of evidence regarding the death of ex-President Felix Faure, which the anti-Dreyfusards never have ceased to claim was due to foul play, because as they alleged, M. Faure opposed the revision of the Dreyfus case.

Louis Anthehne Gregori, who shot Major Dreyfus at the Canoniation of Zola in the Pantheon in 1908, has written an open letter to M. De Valles the presiding judge, demanding that he be heard on the subject of the death of the former President and the anti-Dreyfusards seek to give color to their insinuations by emphasizing the veiled threats which Mme Steinheil repeatedly made in open court to reveal her relations with prominent men in every walk of life, if driven to bay. Judge DeValles, however, evidently assumes that former intrigues have no bearing on the case and twice has practically defied her to draw in whatever scandal and names she pleased.

"You may name whom you will" he has said to her.

EFFECT A SETTLEMENT

Litigation Brought to Close Between Sugar Companies.

New York, Nov. 10.—On the eve of final adjustment the litigation between the American Sugar Refining Company, generally known as the sugar trust, and the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company, a smaller concern which it put out of business, came to a sudden stop in New York today. On the application of George Gordon Battle and H. Snowden Marshall, Judge Holt, in the United States Circuit Court, granted a restraining order which forbids in effect the compromise agreed upon whereby the so-called trust was to pay George H. Earle, Jr., receiver of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company $750,000 and return to the bondholders $1,250,000 in bonds held as collateral for a loan extended to Adolph Segal. Segal, as president of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company, had accepted this loan, giving the bonds as security which in turn enabled the American Sugar Refining Company to bring about the closing of the smaller plant.

VICTIMS OF PELLAGRA.

Caused Hundreds of Deaths in Georgia Prison—Opinion of Doctors.

New Orleans, Nov. 10.—That hundreds of deaths which occurred at the Confederate prison at Andersonville, Ga., during the Summer of 1864 were not due to typhoid fever, as then supposed, but were caused by pellagra, was the opinion expressed before the Southern Medical Convention here this afternoon by Dr. J. W. Kerr, of Corsicana, Texas. Dr. Kerr, who was surgeon at the Andersonville prison, described the symptoms of the disease which attacked the inmates so fatally at that time, and in nearly every particular they were recognized as being characteristic of pellagra. This view was further strengthened, Dr. Kerr said, by the fact that musty or spoiled corn, generally accredited by the medical fraternity as being perhaps the cause of pellagra, constituted the main diet of the prisoners.

The concensus of opinion among the physicians, who presented papers on the subject, was that pellagra is attributable to spoiled corn.

Though brought South to escape the rigors of a northern winter, Hamburg Belle, the famous trotter, died at the stock farm of her owner near Thomasville, Ga., yesterday of pneumonia. The animal was bought by Mel Hanna, of Cleveland, O., a few months ago for $50,000.

WINNERS IN SPEEDWAY MEET

Strang Captures Two Races in a Fiat. Two Gruelling Finishes—Some Disappointments—Events of the Contest.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 10.—Two gruelling finishes, two broken track records by Strang, and rain which caused the postponement of two events, marked the second day of the automobile speedway meet.

After many disappointments yesterday, Harding today drove an Apperson "Jack Rabbit" to victory in a ten mile contest. The Buick car won the amateur ten mile free for all by 1-100th of a second, but lost the 100 mile race on the last lap.

The Buick was driven by Joe Nelson, Chevrolet's mechanician, and he lost on the last lap to Will Knipper, when his lubricating oil became exhausted.

Lewis Strang was compelled to withdraw from the ten mile race for the large stock cars after the first lap in which his Fiat "Sixty" and assumed the lead. He captured the two other races in his 200-horse power Fiat with ease. He defeated Oldfield and Christie in a specially arranged ten mile race in the remarkable time of 7:01:94, averaging about 39:5 to the mile except in the last lap, when he "blew" a tire and had to reduce speed at the turns. This alone prevented him from negotiating this distance in less than seven minutes. As it was, his time broke Aiken's new record of 8:02:41 made yesterday.

In the four mile event Strang averaged 41:11. George Robertson was compelled to withdraw his Fiat from both events in which he was entered.

The feature of the day, the 100 mile light stock car race, ended with Chalmers-Detroit cars in first and second places, drivers Knipper and Matson, respectively. At the start Nelson fought Matson for second place, eventually winning it when the latter stpped for repairs. A 30 mile chase of Knipper put Nelson in first position which he held until the 80th mile when Knipper, who took brilliant advantage of the curves, dashed past him at the stands, bringing the crowd to its feet with a great roar of applause.

At the 88th mile another thunderous outburst arose, but this time it was for Nelson, who had recaptured the lead. Knipper clung close to his heel until the last lap and then to the surprise of the spectators Nelson suddenly slowed up. His machine had been out of lubricating oil for ten minutes and moved at greatly reduced speed. Knipper shot past him and came in an easy winner. Matson, who had been a lap behind the leaders, also passed the limping Buick which finished in third place.

The E. M. F. Car driven by Yerger, was the only other car running when the race ended, Yerger being on his 84th mile.

SUSPECT ARRESTED AT CAIRO.

Probable Murderer of Miss Pelley—Threats of Lynching.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 10.—Because of reports that an organized effort would be made tonight to lynch Will James, a negro suspected of murdering Miss Annie Pelley, a shop girl, the prisoner tonight was placed in a steel cage of the county jail surrounded by a strong guard of policemen and deputy sheriffs. Many persons arrived today from nearby Illinois towns and Kentucky towns and the police feared that many of these wanted to lynch the negro.

Before daylight today Chief of Police Egan twice dispersed crowds of men and boys, who had started towards the city jail. In one case he tore a mask from the face of a man who seemed to be leader of the gathering and then prevailed on the others to disperse, pleading that the evidence against James was only circumstantial.

Most citizens after an outburst of indignation tonight, were ready to let the law take its course. For this reason it was thought that the situation would be controlled.

James, who is known as "Froggy" because of his facial resemblance to that animal was "sweated" by the police today. While all circumstances point to him as the slayer of Miss Pelley, including the action of bloodhounds, which went from the alley where Miss Pelley's body was found to several places where James had been on the night of the murder, the prisoner refused to confess.

TRIED TO FREE ROBBERS

Accused in Omaha Jail Had Assistance From Outside—The Robbery.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 10.—The first sensation in the trial of the five men charged with the robbery of the Union Pacific's "overland limited" train at Mud Cut May 22nd last came today in the announcement that a daring and almost successful attempt to liberate the prisoners was discovered last night at the county jail. The bars and plates of the cage where the men are kept had been sawed until a very little more work would have opened the way to freedom. On the top of the cage where found two long, heavy iron bars, evidently intended for use in prying loose the bars in the outer windows of the jail and a long rope by which the men could have reached the ground. Two saws with which the cutting of the cage was done were found hidden in a broom. An investigation has been started.

TAFT ENDS SWING AROUND COUNTRY

Recommendations to Incoming Congress Keynote of Last Speech.

HIS WELCOME TO VIRGINIA

Again Emphasizes the Close Union Between North and South—Congratulates Military Students—Speech.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 10.—"During my 60 days of travel there has been a moment or two of deliberation and during that time I have been studying what it is the duty of an executive to recommend to an incoming Congress in respect to future legislation, and when I think of the number of things Congress ought to do, I am staggered lest it may not find time to do them."

In the final speech of his 13,000 mile trip through the West and South before an immense audience this afternoon President Taft thus prefaced a preliminary statement of some of the recommendations his first annual message to Congress would contain.

He declared himself in favor of the reclamation of arid lands in the West and of the issuing of bonds for the purpose and of some government control over water power sites and coal and phosphate lands "so that they may not come into the hands of one controlling corporation, but may be retained by the government, with the power to restrict the prices at which the coal, or at least at which the power is sold to prevent the absorption into one command of all the power on the continent."

The anti-trust law, he declared, needs enforcing and the inter-State commerce law amendment "in order to give the inter-State commerce tribunal more power to prevent the delays which are now incident to appeals to the courts."

He voiced his favor of a postal savings bank and declared that "we must improve our legal procedure so as to make it both in criminal and civil cases more simple, more rapid and less expensive and I mean to recommend to Congress the appointment of a commission to take up that subject."

Mr. Taft said he believed the time had come for the organization of a Federal health bureau.

"When I was in the South before," he said, "and before I came to be President, but when I had a reasonable expectation of succeeding to that office, I said that I was anxious so far as the executive could to show to the Southern people that in the eye of the executive and the administration at Washington they were as closely a part of the Union, and as much entitled to its consideration in every respect as any other part of the country. That I said it was not possible for the executive to show other than in speech, except by the appointment to Federal office of men whose appointment would commend itself to the communities in which they live, that they might regard those appointees not as agents of any alien government, but as representing their own government. Now, insofar as I have been able, I have attempted to carry out that policy. A year has not yet elapsed, and you must give me three more years in order to demonstrate my sincerity in that regard.

"We have reached a point in this country when we can look back, not without love, not without intense pride, but without partisan passion, to the events of the Civil War," continued the President. "We have reached a point, I am glad to say when the North can admire to the full the heroes of the South and the South admire to the full the heroes of the North.

"I am glad to say that in my own alma mater of Yale we have established an association for the purpose of erecting within her academic precincts a memorial, not to the Northern Yale men who died, not to the Southern Yale men who died, but to the Yale men who died in the Civil War. And so it is that I venture to hope that the project suggested by my predecessor, President Roosevelt, may be alluded to by me with approval and the expression of the hope that it is coming to fruition to-wit: that there should be a great memorial in honor of General Robert E. Lee, in the establishment of what he himself would value most highly, a great school of engineering at Washington and Lee University, and I take this opportunity to express my deep sympathy in that movement, and my desire to aid it in every way possible and proper.

"It has been my good fortune to be welcomed to Virginia soil a number of times by your distinguished Governor, and I cannot fail to express to him the gratitude I really feel toward him for making me always at home on Virginia soil. I congratulate you on having such a Governor, and now that he is for the moment to retire to private life, I hope that all success and prosperity may follow him there. I am quite sure that Virginia knows a good thing when it sees it, and that the leisure which he deserves will not be drawn out too long.

"I am also indebted to the presence

here of the young men of the Virginia Military Institute. I congratulate them on the military appearance that they present as they march along the streets and between their admiring fellow citizens of Virginia. I am glad to say that as Secretary of War I came to know that we depended on the Virginia Military Institute as one of two great institutions to furnish to us officers when exigency and the danger to the government should occur and require us to call for men skilled in arms, and that they have always shown in the attention to duty, in their soldierly bearing, in the high ideals they preserve, the type and character and ideals set for them by Stonewall Jackson, for whom they entertain, as well they may, the highest respect and the fondest memory.

"I am glad to be here in Virginia. I feel a certain sort of pride in the fact that I am the only Republican candidate for President who ever ventured in a canvass for the Presidency to address a Virginia audience and while the result may not have been of such favor as to induce the gentleman who follows me to attempt it again, it proves what I knew was the case, that I could have in Virginia most courteous attention and a most respectful and tolerant hearing."

The President was the guest of Governor Swanson at breakfast today. At 10 o'clock he addressed the Virginia State Press Association and The Times-Dispatch Correspondents Association in the hall of the House of Delegates at the Capitol. In another room of the Capitol immediately afterward the President spoke briefly to a delegation of colored men.

During the morning he visited Old St. John Church of which Patrick Henry made his famous "give me liberty or give me death" speech, and went from there to St. Paul's church where Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy, received the message from General Lee saying that the Confederate forces must evacuate Petersburg and leave Richmond unprotected. He also visited the Confederate Museum. He made the comment there that the picture of Jefferson Davis which belonged to the museum did not compare in excellence with the one in the War Department at Washington. The museum officials said they probably would apply to the Secretary of War for permission to have a copy made of the painting at Washington.

The President's talk to the negro delegation was devoted mostly to the subject of education. He said he would attend a meeting of the board of trustees of Hampton Institute on November 20th and felt a very deep interest in the work of that institution as well as the Booker Washington school, at Tuskegee, Ala. The influence of those two schools in the importance they were giving to industrial and agricultural education the President said was beginning at last to be felt throughout the South.

The President lunched at the Jefferson Hotel, delivered his principal address at the city auditorium of the day and left at 5:15 P. M. for Washington.

Taft in Washington.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Completing his 13,000 mile journey through the West and South, President Taft arrived in Washington at 8:35 o'clock this evening from Richmond, Va. He was greeted at the union station by the members of the cabinet and a large crowd of people. He was driven immediately to the White House in the President's automobile.

HURLED FROM AUTO.

Mrs. Flagler and Dr. McDonald in Crash Near New York.

(New York World.)

Dr. Carlos F. McDonald, the alienist; Mrs. Henry Flagler and the chauffeur were seriously injured in an automobile accident near Woodlawn Cemetery, Fishkill Landing, Sunday night.

The accident was kept secret until last night because Dr. McDonald and Mrs. Flagler feared to alarm relatives. The machine was smashed into a shapeless mass of wood and iron.

Dr. McDonald has a sanitarium at Central Valley, a few miles from Fishkill Landing, where Mrs. Flagler has been a patient for some time. Dr. McDonald took her and her maid for an automobile ride Sunday afternoon. They drove to Fishkill Landing and started on the return trip about 5 o'clock. The chauffeur was running the six-cylinder car at its highest speed over the road built by the late Edward H. Harriman and considered one of the finest in the State.

Near the cemetery there are two sharp curves. The chauffeur got around one of these without trouble, but on the second, which is the sharpest, he lost control of his machine and it plunged into the ditch and struck a high brick wall.

The car overturned and all four of the occupants were hurled into the ditch. Dr. McDonald was the first to regain his feet after the crash, and his first attention was to Mrs. Flagler.

Mrs. Flagler was so overcome from the shock that she was unable to speak. Dr. McDonald finally revived her, and then the chauffeur, who had also recovered, assisted Mrs. Flagler's companion to her feet. The two women were the most affected by the accident.

Mrs. Flagler suffered greatly from shock and was injured on the shoulders and body. She sustained several bad bruises and sprains and was confined to her bed yesterday, although it was said at the sanitarium last night that she was much better than she was Sunday night.

Dr. McDonald was badly bruised and needed attention when he reached the sanitarium. His face and scalp were lacerated and he suffered a sprain of one of his wrists. The maid and the chauffeur were injured nearly as severely.

Senator John Rose, in his auto, passed the wrecked party soon after the accident and offered his machine to Dr. McDonald. His car carried the party to the sanitarium at Central Valley.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything, I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, it's unequaled. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy.

PRESIDENT PASSED THROUGH.

But It Was Too Early at Rocky Mount for Callers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 10.—President Taft and his party in a train of four special cars were visitors to this city at an early hour this morning and he made a ten minutes' stay here. His train was operated into this city from Wilmington as the fourth section of No. 42 for this city. The Presidential train arrived here at 2:50 o'clock and was iced and inspected and engines and crews changed. They left just ten minutes after their arrical. However, the train orders were changed after leaving this city and the operation from here to Richmond was as a second section of train No. 82. The train arrived in Richmond yard this morning at 6:45, and it was brought to a standstill at the union station at 6:52 A. M. A small crowd went down to South Rocky Mount by the early trains but when it was learned that the party would not arrive until 3 o'clock, they dispersed and when the train really did arrive there were only the railroad men to meet him, and the average passer by would not have known that the train carried the Chief Executive of the Nation.

There was one Rocky Mount man who accompanied the President over the entire trip on the Atlantic Coast Line. General Superintendent W. H. Newell. The railroad official has been a member of the Presidential party for about a week, and his presence there demonstrates the fact that there is really nothing big, and history-making unless Rocky Mount has a hand in it.

WOMAN ON THEIR HANDS.

Demented Colored Woman Found on A. C. L. Train.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 10.—Being unable to learn anything regarding the demented colored woman that was found on the Atlantic Coast Line passenger train No. 49 on Monday afternoon the railroad authorities yesterday turned the woman over to the sheriff of Wayne county. The woman was found on the train, without a ticket and with no evidence whatever as to who she was or where she was going. She was placed in the care of the station agent and the railroad authorities made every effort to learn who she was or something regarding her but failing she was given to the sheriff and it is expected that she will be entered at the colored insane asylum at Goldsboro.

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Paw Paw, Mich.—"I suffered terribly from female ills, including inflammation and congestion, for several years. My doctor said there was no hope for me but an operation. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I can now say I am a well woman."
EMMA DRAPER.

Another Operation Avoided.

Chicago, Ill.—"I want women to know what that wonderful medicine Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has done for me. Two of the best doctors in Chicago said I would die if I did not have an operation, and I never thought of seeing a well day again. I had a small tumor and female troubles so that I suffered day and night. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it made me a well woman."—Mrs. ALVENA SPERLING, 11 Langdon St., Chicago, Ill.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has proved to be the most successful remedy for curing the worst forms of female ills, including displacements, inflammation, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result has been worth millions to many suffering women.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH.
Mr. TIM MURPHY
Presenting
His Best Comedy Success
"OLD INNOCENCE."
Splendid Cast, including
DOROTHY SHERROD.
Prices—$1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c, and 25c.
Sale of seats opens Wednesday.

Flea : Circus!
AT FAIR GROUNDS
From Hamburg, Germany, 300 performing flea artists, drawing carriages, automobiles, operating carousel, walk on slack wire, dancing ballets in ladies' costume, etc.
This show has been exhibited at the Virginia State fair at Richmond, Va., to over 16,000. $500 to any charity if you don't see a real live harness and dressed performing fleas.
ADMISSION, 10 CENTS.
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PILES! PILES! PILES!
Williams Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and $1.00. Sold by R. R. Bellamy

Danderine

EVERYBODY CAN HAVE BEAUTIFUL HAIR NOW, and they don't have to wait weeks and months for results either. You will notice marked improvement after the very first application.

Danderine is quickly and thoroughly absorbed by the scalp and the hair soon shows the effects of its wonderfully exhilarating and life-producing qualities. It is pleasant and easy to use—simply apply it to the scalp and hair once a day until the hair begins to grow, then two or three times a week till desired results are obtained.

Grows Hair and we can PROVE IT!

A lady from California writes in substance as follows:
I have been using your wonderful hair tonic for several months and at last I am now blessed with a wonderful suit of hair that measures over 48 inches in length; the braid is over 8 inches around.

Another from New Jersey:
After using sixth bottle I am happy to say that I have as nice a head of hair as anyone in New Jersey.

This Great Hair-Growing Remedy can now be had at all druggists in three sizes, 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle.

Cut This Out — Free To show how quickly Danderine acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to any one who sends this free coupon to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and 10c in silver or stamps to pay postage.

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The "Baby-Waker" Sale

is still going. Large crowds and liberal buying are the features. The low prices published in the large advertisements are still holding good.

New arrivals of rugs, pictures, imported dinner sets, tables, hampers, clothes baskets and several other articles have been added this week. Positively no such values ever seen in Wilmington. Call and inspect them if you wish to buy or not. We are pleased to show goods and invite comparison. This sale, as all our sales, is bona fide. No bluff, no hot air. Unequaled values our motto.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.
Wilmington, N. C.

The
Southern National Bank
Opposite Postoffice. Organized 1905.

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This is the season when your horse needs his blanket. These frosty nights in the early Fall are apt to give him cold. Prices right. Quality guaranteed. :: :: :: :: :: ::

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.
CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Southern Electric Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. ———— street, in the City of Wilmington, county of New Hanover, State of North Carolina (John Hall being the agent therein and in charge thereof upon whom process may be served) has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, Therefore, I. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 3rd day of November, 1909, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all of the stockholders, thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 3rd day of November, 1909.

(signed) J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

Recorded in Book "D"—Record of Corporations at page 367.

JNO. D. TAYLOR,
Clerk of Superior Court.
W. N. HARRIS,
Deputy.

no 11-4w-thu.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, North carolina, made in a certain cause therein pending wherein Comfort Rowell et al. are plaintiffs and Lina Mildred Rowell et al. are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner appointed in and by said decree to sell the lands and premises set out and described in the complaint therein, will, on Monday, the 22nd day of November, 1909, at 12 o'clock, M. at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover aforesaid, by public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, sell that certain tract, piece or parcel of land lying, being and situate in the City of Wilmington, County and State aforesaid and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Fifth street one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet South from the Southern line of Dock street and running thence Southwardly along said Eastern line of Fifth street thirty-six feet and six (6) inches, thence Eastwardly, parallel with Dock street, one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, thence Northwardly, parallel with Fifth street, thirty-six (36) feet and six (6) inches and thence Westwardly, parallel with Dock street, one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet to the Eastern line of Fifth street, the Beginning, the same being a part of lots 3 and 4 in Block No. 143 according to the official plan of the aforesaid City of Wilmington.

This the 20th day of October, 1909
MARSDEN BELLAMY, JR.
Commissioner.
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THANKSGIVING PLEASURES IN DRIVING

may be marred by your carriage breaking down and giving you much inconvenience if not serious injury. Give yourself the pleasure of something to be thankful for by having your defective vehicle put in good condition at

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WHY
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Wholesale Grocer.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company
Office of the Treasurer.
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 1st, 1909.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after November 10th, 1909. The transfer books are closed from the 30th day of October, 1909, to November 10th, 1909, both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
no 7-to no 10. Treasurer

School Shoes for Boys and Girls

Try our Buster Brown Shoes. They look best and wear so much longer.

CLOTHING

A full and complete line for Fall. All the new shades and colors. A look at our line before you buy will be appreciated. Sole Agent Holeproof Sox and Stockings. Now is the time to lay in your Fall supply.

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We are showing this season many entirely new things in Toga, Smyrna, Electra, Wilton, Axminster, Mendota, Arlington, Shirvan, Brussels and Velvet Rugs.

Wilton, Velvet, Tapestry and Extra Super Carpets. Mattings and Matting Rugs; Linoleums and Oil Cloths; Upholstery and Drapery Goods; Portieres and Couch Covers; Lace Curtains and Window Shades.

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THE STATE IN EPITOME

¶News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in the North Carolina Press. : : : : : : :

Seaboard Lumber Co.

The Seaboard Lumber Company, of Carthage Tuesday filed a certificate of incorporation with the Secretary of State. The authorized capital stock is $50,000, but the company will begin business with $20,000. C. J. Angle, Greensboro; J. T. Penn, Asheboro; J. Alton McIver and M. G. Dalrymple, both of Carthage, incorporators.

Thanks to Rockefeller.

Fayetteville, Nov. 9.—The Cumberland County Medical Society in resolutions passed at a meeting held here today, expressed thanks to John D. Rockefeller for his contribution of one million dollars toward exterminating the hook worm in the South. The society will invite the commission having charge of the fund to make Fayetteville its headquarters.

Pellagra at Spencer.

Spencer, Nov. 9.—Pellagra has at last effected an entrance into Rowan county, two cases, that of James Harris and Nancy Harris, both colored, having developed the disease at their homes near East Spencer, between this place and Salisbury. The attending physician has made a careful diagnosis and pronounces the malady to be pellagra. Both victims are said to be in a dangerous condition, though the disease is declared to be non-contagious and non-infectious.

Run Over by an Auto.

Laurinburg, N. C., Nov. 9.—A serious accident happened here today when a little boy was run over by an automobile. Both wheels of the machine ran over him, breaking several ribs and inflicting serious internal injuries. The little fellow had just landed in this country from Syria, was an orphan and could speak no English. He was carried to the Scotland Hospital for treatment. The machine was driven by a gentleman from Chesterfield, who immediately gave bond for his appearance at court

Hand Caught in Gin.

Statesville, Nov. 9.—Mr. Henry Gatton, a young man employed at Mr. N. W. Fox's cotton gin, at Five Mile branch, suffered a painful injury while attending the gin Friday. He placed his right hand too near the saws of the gin and in an instant the hand and arm had been drawn down among the saws and before he could liberate himself from the machinery both hand and arm were horribly lacerated. On some portions of the hand and wrist the flesh was torn from the bones, but fortunately none of the bones, except that of the little finger, were injured and the young man's wounds are expected to heal without trouble. He was given medical attention shortly after the accident by a Statesville physician. Young Gatton is a son of Mr. Will Gatton, of Bethany township, and has worked at the cotton gin two years.

TUBERCULOSIS CONVENTION.

All Arrangements Being Made for Greensboro Meeting in January.

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 10.—Two local committees are at work preparing for the annual Tuberculosis Convention and the Tuberculosis exhibition, both of which will be held here the latter part of January. The medical society has appointed the following committee on arrangements: Dr. W. D. Beall, Dr. C. W. Moseley, Dr. J. T. J. Battle, Dr. Edmond Harrison, Dr. John Roy Williams, chairman.

The local Tuberculosis Association has appointed the following gentlemen to serve in the same connection: E. P. Wharton, chairman; R. C. Hood, Rev. E. N. McLarty, W. E. Harrison, and Dr. John Roy Williams.

Money will be raised and plans will be made for an enterprise which is expected to benefit Greensboro and at the same time serve the entire State.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

Death on the Guillotine.

Sardou, in order to be present at the execution of Tropman in January, 1875, spent the night before with La Roquette, the prison director. In his description he says: "At daybreak the guests went out upon the cold, bleak execution place, where the guillotine had already been erected. The bedraggled crowd, which had spent the night in drinking places, sang ribald songs and from time to time shouted for Deibler, the executioner, who meanwhile was explaining the mechanism. The basket in which the head was to drop was brought, and while looking at it I was horrified to see the lid arise and a human form emerge. 'Don't worry,' said Deibler, with a smile; 'that is only my wife, who wanted to see the execution, and I chose the simplest way to secure a good place for her.'" Clemenceau saw Emile Henry decapitated on May 22, 1894, in his capacity as a journalist, and, describing how the culprit was dragged to the machine, strapped upon the plank and there tortured by awaiting the pleasure of Deibler till the knife finally ended it all, said that the "horror of it" made him sick.

Why Blinds Were Drawn.

The Edinburgh landlady of the seventies who astounded James Payn by her stern determination to have the blinds drawn closely down on the Sabbath was but carrying on the traditions of her great-grandparents. The Scot of the early eighteenth century had a reason for drawing his blinds on Sunday. Mr. Thompson in his "Weaver's Craft" gives it. "Sometimes the minister himself," he wrote, "when he got a colleague to preach for him would make the rounds, accompanied by an elder, to spy with his own eyes the sins of the absentees. Here one man is found romping with his bairns, another as the minister peeped through the window was detected kissing his wife, two men were found drinking ale, and one was found with his coat off, as if he were going to work, and still another was seen eating a hearty dinner. All were pulled up before the session of the kirk and repentance forced upon each."—London Standard.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls.
The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

Special from Hamlet and Local Pullman Sleeper from Raleigh

Via S. A. L. Railway Raleigh to Wilmington, Account Taft Day, November 9th.

The Seaboard announces account the above occasion they will run sleeping car from Raleigh to Wilmington and return to accommodate those from that point desiring to attend the Taft celebration. This sleeper will be open at Raleigh Union station for occupancy at 10:00 P. M. Monday night, November 8th, and will be handled from Raleigh to Hamlet on No. 93 leaving there 12:30 A. M. the new fast train established between New York and Florida, commencing November 7th, and will leave Hamlet on special train arriving at Wilmington, arriving at 7:00 A. M. This sleeper returning will leave Wilmington 7:30 P. M. on special arriving at Raleigh 3:00 A. M. same to be cut out at Raleigh Union station so passengers can remain in same until 8:00 A. M.

In addition above will operate special train leaving Hamlet 5:00 A. M. arriving Wilmington 9:00 A. M, making all local stops for passengers.

Round trip rate from Raleigh to Wilmington $4.20. Pullman berth rate in each direction $2.00.

Absolutely the best service to Wilmington account Taft Day, the Raleigh Band and Company and staff officers will use this train.

In addition to the above service passengers can leave Raleigh on No. 41 at 4:00 P. M., take local sleeper at Hamlet, arriving in Wilmington 12:20, midnight, passengers being allowed to remain in sleeper until 8:00 A. M.

Apply at our office, No. 4, West Martin street, or 'phone 117 for full information.

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Raleigh, N. C.

SPECIAL LOW RATES
Via
SEABOARD AIR LINE.
Account Following Special Occasions.

ATLANTA, GA.—Account Automobile Races, November 6th-13th. Tickets on sale on various dates from November 7th to 12th, inclusive. Final return limit November 16th. Extension however, can be secured until November 30th. Rate from Raleigh, $12.85; Charlotte, $8.20; Wilmington, $13.30; Durham, $14.05; Hamlet, $10.00. Rates on same basis from other points.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Account Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons, November 8th-13th. Tickets on sale November 6th and 7th, and trains scheduled to arrive in Savannah before noon on November 8th. Rate from Raleigh, $10.45; Henderson, $11.50; Hamlet, $7.60; Charlotte, $7.75; Wilmington, $10.75. Rates on same basis from other points.

RALEIGH, N. C.—Account Farmers' National Congress, November 3rd-9th. Exceedingly low rates from all points. Tickets on sale October 31st-November 1st, 2nd and for all trains scheduled to arrive in Raleigh before noon November 3rd. Final return limit November 12th.

For further information apply to nearest Seaboard ticket office, or address the undersigned.

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Was Greatly Improved—After Fever Had Run Her Down—by Cardui, the Woman's Tonic.

Rosedale, Tex.—Miss Bertha Spell, of this city, contributes an interesting letter on her experience with that famous woman's tonic, Cardui.

She writes: "I had fever for forty-eight days and when I got up my feet were swollen and I had some womanly troubles.

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This is the time to take a tonic and for a woman what better tonic could there be than Cardui, the woman's tonic?

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Try it for your troubles.

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The first symptom of Contagious Blood Poison is usually a little sore or ulcer, so insignificant that often no attention is given it. But when the blood becomes more fully infected with the virus the mouth and throat get sore, glands in the neck and groin swell, and sometimes ulcerate, forming sores and ulcers, the hair comes out, copper colored spots appear on the body, and where the disease is allowed to remain in the system the poison frequently penetrates deeper and attacks the bones. S. S. S. is the true antidote for Contagious Blood Poison—the only remedy that is able to get at the very root of the trouble and remove every particle of the virus from the circulation; at the same time S. S. S. acts with upbuilding and tonic effect on every portion of the system. As soon as the system gets under the influence of S. S. S, the symptoms begin to disappear and soon a perfect cure is made. S. S. S. can be used in the privacy of one's own home and a permanent cure effected. To aid those who wish to cure themselves at home we have prepared a special Home Treatment book which contains much valuable information to Contagious Blood Poison Sufferers. With the aid of this book and the use of S. S. S. a cure can be effected in every case. We will send this book, and also any medical advice desired free to all who write.

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Great offerings in Comforts, Blankets and Bed Spreads

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Blankets from.....33c to $8.00
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Beautiful Bed Spreads.....75c to $3.00
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In a shipment of Mattresses just received.

BATH ROBES
Celebrated "Earle" brand of $6.00 value for $3.98
Matting of all grades, designs and prices....9c up
Largest line of Dress Goods in the city.

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We are offering Unbleached Homespun of good quality, at.....5c
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New lot of Shepard Plaids, 36 inches, 25c and 50c

IN MILLINERY
We carry anything to be had in this part of the world. Have just received a new lot of wings in black and white.

In our immense stock of ladies' Tailor-made Suits, Skirts, Cloaks, Shirt Waists, etc., you can find what you need for..... 25% Less than you can elsewhere. Continued warm weather forcing us to make great reduction in these goods.

Come and see the beautiful display of Fancy Chinaware that we have just received.

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We have a brand new stock of Furs, and can show the greatest variety of the most stylish furs to be had in this section of the country.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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STATEMENT OF

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK

Of Wilmington, Oct. 30th 1909.

RESOURCES.

Time loans and discounts	$2,995,540 47
Demand loans	1,250,000 00
U. S. Bonds	501,000 00
Bank building	25,000 00
Stocks and bonds	170,145 50
Cash	1,589,642 56
	$6,581,333 53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 550,000 00
Surplus	344,247 35
U. S. bond account	100,000 00
Circulation	550,000 00
Deposits	5,037,086 18
	$6,581,333 53

C. S. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount..	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:41 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	*8:35 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington ..	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. W. Phila.....	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York.....	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41. Daily.	No. 49. Daily.
Lv. New York.....	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. W. Phila	11:49 am	12:19 am
Lv. Baltimore	2:10 am	2:46 am
Lv. Washington ...	3:35 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk	3:20 pm	8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Lv. Petersburg ..	7:47 pm	9:13 am
Lv. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:35 am
Lv. Rocky Mount..	5:00 am	12:50 pm
Lv. Wilson	5:36 am	2:09 pm
Lv. Goldsboro	6:35 am	3:05 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:00 pm

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SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson

	51 Daily.	55 Daily.	42 Daily.
Lv Wil't'n.	5:10 am	3:30 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:20 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh .	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	50 Daily.	54 Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville ..	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Lv. Savannah	1:05 pm	12:15 am
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Lv. Florence	8:40 pm	9:25 am
Ar Wilmington	12:30 am	1:25 pm

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12:10 PM	Lv Fayetteville Ar	4:45 PM
1:40 PM	Ar. Sanford Lv	3:30 PM

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Northbound. 62	Daily except Sunday.	Southbound. 63
3:25 PM	Lv Wilmington Ar	12:50 PM
5:17 PM	Ar Jacksonville Lv	10:55 AM
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HOLD FAST TO DEMOCRACY.

The city of Boston, the pattern of taste, of culture and civic virtue, has confessed to a sore spot somewhere in its cosmos. At the recent city election, this one city in the nation which has the reputation of being civically all that it ought to be voted to adopt what is generally known as the plan of "Government by Commission."

This plan came out of the wild and wooly West, and of course Boston has given it another name. Nothing savoring of Kansas or Oklahoma, of Wisconsin or Illinois, could gain specific endorsement in that staid and sterling community. Nevertheless, Boston is trying the plan, and the home of the science of spelling by sound will soon have added to its accomplishments the science of governing by politics as it is written in the political economies.

Here is the Commission plan, as it is stated in Boston, new name and all:

"At the election of November 3 the citizens of Boston voted for the so-called Plan No. 2, which was proposed by the Finance Commission for the revision of the city charter. By this plan the old government with its 97 elective offices is wiped out, and the power is placed in the hands of a mayor and a board of nine aldermen. The mayor is elected for four years, and the aldermen for three-year terms, these being so arranged that after the first election only three aldermen will be elected each year. All the aldermen are to be elected at large. This was the plan which the Finance Commission itself strongly favored in the following language, taken from its official report:

"'The history of municipal government in this country has demonstrated that the elective officers should be few in number. By reducing the number of candidates, and thereby simplifying the ballot, good nominations and intelligent discussion of candidates will be possible'."

It will be observed that the chief end and aim is the elimination of the wards. The idea is that the great majority of intelligent people, composing the city as a whole, will now rise in their might and elect to manage the city's affairs men of brains and integrity alike. The civic millenium is expected, doubtless, to dawn at once. Graft, just showing its head in so circumspect a community is to be decapitated, guillotined, at once. Its tail, to use a vulgar expression, is to be "cut off behind the ears". Hereafter, according to plan, Boston is to be ruled by the good, the true, and the enlightened. Massachusetts, the leader in the truer forms of culture, is to introduce and give sanction to the newer cult of reform. We are all invited to look, admire and, to the best of mediocre ability, make a futile but sincere effort to copy and emulate the virtue we see and feel.

Notwithstanding which, we shall be surprised if "Plan No. 2" is a number one idea. About all these new-fangled notions and ideas concerning city government there is this vital obejction, that they are all un-Democratic. And whatever Boston may think, however much it may pride itself on its culture, even it is Democratic. The ward boss and ward politics have cast a stigma upon the management of the cities. Whether the disgrace that is theirs may be removed by any law attempting to put control of the situation into kid-gloved hands remains to be seen. A city is, or ought to be, a small republic. In its government every division, every separate element of the population, ought to have its representation. Because Texas wears a slouch hat and is chary of dress clothes is no reason why Texan needs should not have a National Senator to represent them. Certainly, a Lodge could not do the subejct justice. By the same token, the residents of a slum quarter have their proper place in a city council. To govern these people by commission is not only to take away their representation, but to lose their interest. What the hill residential portions of a city is thinking about, what even the larger business interests desire, can never have the vital, close, elbow to elbow regard for the city that the poorer and humbler sections live with and feel. Such people are in the back-ground until it comes to politics. Then they are, and will be, the ultimate masters. That city or that State that gives them just ground for resentment is paving the way for troubles greater than those which it is desired to escape.

We personally do not believe that the city—so far from being too representative in government—is representative enough. State legislators are apt to tread carelessly with utter disregard of what they are walking on. Grave problems, closely affecting numerous constituencies, are kept alive endlessly by unintelligent treatment. As there is no place in the average constitution for city autonomy, this is inevitable. But to divert the cities still more from the rule of the people who must live in them is, to us, a dangerous departure. It is a departure from old principle that will make room and necessity for delicate adjustments yet undreamed of. Civic reform is necessary but like other reforms it must come, if it come at all, from the bottom up and not from the top down.

MR. TAFT AND THE SCHOOL CHILDREN.

It must have been a constantly recurring inspiration to the President to be greeted throughout his thirteen thousand mile journey by something like six or seven million school children, expressing themselves in terms of the national colors. To feel that one is at the head of such a potential force must arouse a sentiment to bring the tear and choke the voice. To see the flag of the nation flung wide in human folds of bright-eyed boys and girls, to catch the tribute in lesson of patriotism of those laying hands upon a generation just ahead, is a sight to stir the imagination and to quicken the blood.

Twice, in Wilmington, under widely differing circumstances, Mr. Taft met this emotion, felt this sight. Banked on Market street, the white school children of the city went through their maneuvers as though they were veterans instead of babies. The fluttering array of their flags, the swallowing up of their individuality in a flare of the national colors, the combined roar of their childishly treble voices presented a picture and gave an emotion impossible to translate, exquisite to experience. At St. Stephen's church the thousands of black children, singing in unison the national anthem, and alike waving the colors of the country, must have appealed in pathetic terms of promise to the country's head. Nowhere could a better exhibit have been made of the future which this city and section confidently expects—on the one hand, the hope that is ours in the strong and sturdy children of the land, the rulers of tomorrow, the upholders of that honor which is more sacred than the prosperity we are achieving; on the other hand the, in a sense, unfortunate children of a childish race, accepted by a section realizing its duty and the delicacy of its performance, put forward by us in all the hope that we have of them, as a pledge of our fealty and of our sincere acceptance of the new regime and the greater and brighter day ahead.

Nowhere else in his itinerary did Mr. Taft meet such a reception as that tendered him by the negro children of this city. He did not find it in Boston, nor in Los Angeles. That he did find it in Wilmington, a city that in the past has found it necessary to deal sternly with the negro for the necessity of its own salvation, was a peculiarly fortunate circumstance. Nothing else could so well have shown the true spirit of the South toward its natural wards; no exhibit could have more strikingly indicated the care and the sense of obligation in which the South is performing its duty in this respect. That Mr. Taft so considered it was shown by the fact that to the colored children he stopped to speak; while to those of his own blood and color he contented himself with doing the only thing that a man of heart could find within him to do, doffed his hat in the recognition of a story and a poem of childhood, untranslatable in words.

A VITAL DISTINCTION.

It has grown almost into an epigram that a good judge does not make a great ruler. The judicial temperament is too fair for the sudden action necessary to executive control of serious crises. The habit of mind that weighs and considers is rarely that of the man who gains popular applause. The deeds have ever been done by the hot-heads, who acted first and thought about it afterwards.

This thought is prompted by a statement from the President as to the Roosevelt "policies". Mr. Taft is pledged to their support. The country, however, will feel better when it realizes what the present President considers to have been the policy of the former one. He states it thus:

"Mr. Roosevelt's chief policy was the determination to make the great corporations of the country obey the law, and those corporations included the railroads and the great industrial corporations that do a large industrial business and that have shown a tendency to monopolize business and suppress competition."

This is not a correct statement of Roosevelt policy as we seem to remember it. In commenting upon the statement, the New York World says:

"With due respect to Mr. Taft, Mr. Roosevelt's 'chief policy' was not 'to make the great corporations of the country obey the law,' but to obtain new laws and new legislation increasing the President's autocratic power over business. Every annual message was an appeal to Congress for more law and power, until finally he demanded the authority to suppress all corporation wrong-doing 'not by judicial, but by executive action'."

We think that states the distinction clearly and with mildness. Mr. Roosevelt knew little law and regarded even less that which he knew or had heard of. Law was to him merely an obstacle to his will—an obstacle, also, to be overthrown by force when it could not be disregarded by contempt. The Rosevelt policy was to punish where he hated, regardless of form and in violence to precedent. That of Mr. Taft is naturally the closely reasoned action of a judge, based upon and contingent on the legal and constitutional limitations of governmental action.

It is a vastly different thing to insist that corporations shall not outgrow the law out of which they are born, and to make of them outlaws for whose destruction no law is necessary. The one policy is that of Taft; the other that of Roosevelt. The more reasoned course will never catch the multitude or ring stiringly in history. All the same, there is a rest about this new construction which carries its own refreshment.

Cummins is to advise President Taft. If he could fix Cannon, there might be something to it.

The Astors hold on to their New York real estate, but they do not seem to be able to hold their wives.

Boston takes the palm in advertising its own troubles. If the Hub would only keep quiet, the country would think it was all back bay and Faneuil Hall.

The movement to secure the appointment of Hon. Henry Groves Connor as Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States would have the political effect of giving more Tar Heel Republicans the opportunity of undergoing White House inspection.

Judge Gaynor has written a letter to Comptroller Prendergast, which is described as being "an example of courtesy". The New York election afforded extreme examples of almost everything else. We are glad that courtesy now has its innings, even if the game is long since over and the crowd gone home.

The Whole State is Proud of Wilmington.

(News and Observer.)

From the day the patriotic men of Wilmington, in broad daylight and without disguise, boarded the British ships at Wilmington and threw the tea overboard, until this good hour the people of North Carolina have never looked in vain for Wilmington to lead in whatever brought honor to the State. In the days of Reconstruction it led the way to Redemption. In the equally trying days of the Second Reconstruction in 1898 its every good citizen was in the forefront to redeem the State. Peace and good government restored, Wilmington has gone forward in the industrial and commercial life until it has become the chief cotton port on the Atlantic and has laid deep the foundations for still further commercial greatness.

This week the President of the United States was the guest of North Carolina, and to Wilmington was entrusted the duty to be the host to tender real North Carolina hospitality. The rest of us went to sleep, knowing that the entertainment of the President would be worthy of the chief seaport and of the chief magistrate of the Republic. It was a gracious and genuine hospitality, neither too simple nor having too many frills. It was dignified without aloofness and genial without too great informality. Nobody "slopped over." The President was an honored guest and his wishes and convictions were respected. Equally true is it that none of the true men of that city forgot that they were most worthy of respect when they abated no jot or title of their convictions in a mistaken notion of being agreeable to the guest. Nothing is more disgusting than to see men abase themselves before a man of high position. That breed does not flourish or win respect in Wilmington.

Governor Kitchin made a happy and patriotic speech in welcoming the President and in introducing him to the multitude of people. His reference to the love of North Carolina for the Republic and the flag expressed the sentiment of the people of the whole State.

The President's speech was in fine taste and was well received. "I have found that you in North Carolina," he said, "were a little earlier in doing everything that had to be done in the crises of the nation than anybody else," He gave sound warning against the all too rapid destruction of the timber and impressed the necessity of preserving the forests and cutting timber "in such a way as that we shall not destroy it altogether." He congratulated the State upon living on the farm and predicted that the time was coming when "the profession of farming will attract the mental and manual activity of men of the highest education and of the highest culture and of the highest ambition." Mr. Taft's appreciation of the Confederates present, under the command of chivalric Gen. Julian S. Carr, evoked generous applause.

There wasn't an incident to mar the perfect day—a day that will long be remembered as one in which Wilmington gave a reception as notable as had any city of ten times its population.

The visitors, the military, the bands and the visitors who were entertained delightfully last night were all pleased with the way Wilmington met the responsibility and have gone to their homes singing the praises of Wilmington.

Genuine Southern Hospitality.

(Newbern Journal.)

It was Wilmington that secured the President for the entire day, and few cities of the State could have equaled the reception given the Nation's Chief Executive. A reception may mean a good deal of money spent, a good deal of noise and bluster and fuss, and fall far short in its intent, and certainly in its impression upon the invited guests. A Wilmington reception, has all the necessary form and decorum, and with it all a charming freedom and hospitality that rids the visitor of that ceremonious feeling that too often hangs about a reception, and makes it uncomfortable.

Tuesday was the day for greeting President Taft, and splendidly was this greeting extended from every trade, industrial, commercial, civic and social side of Wilmington. Decorations upon a lavish scale met the eye on every side. And in the varied entertainment provided, on land and water, the distinguished visitor could feel as well as see, the genuine Southern hospitality of the people of the lower Cape Fear city.

And besides President Taft, there were Governor Kitchin, Congressmen and men of State, and beyond notability. There were the military organizations and thousands of visitors, each and everyone coming in for a share of Wilmingtonian hospitality, and each and every one received a full share. It was a day crowded with hospitalities, that of November ninth, and Wilmington met and splendidly carried out its position of host to the President, to North Carolina's Governor, and to thousands of visitors. And no one expected more or less than this fullness of Wilmington's Southern hospitality.

CURRENT COMMENT.

"Bob Glenn has rendered North Carolina service that should be appreciated by every patriotic, liberty-loving, God-fearing citizen in her border," says the Pender Chronicle in answer to a criticism of the ex-Governor. Many will say "amen" to the Chronicle's expression.—News and Observer.

The people of Pitt county might well consider the suggestion made by Judge Guion in delivering his charge to the grand jury Monday that it is much cheaper to pay a 5 or 10 cent tax on enough bonds to build good roads all over the county than it is to have to give three days in the year to work on the roads as the law requires. Under the present system of working them we will have no good roads, but with a bound issue they can be easily built.—Greenville Reflector.

The trip of the Business Men's League down the Mississippi, seems to have made the impression on the government officials that the present river having been abandoned why dig it deeper? Another impression seems to be that the railroads have the river tied up and the first move now is to find some way to loosen the railroads' hold and let the river be used as it is. It is claimed that there is a clear eight-foot or deeper channel from Cairo all the way down and yet there are no boats. The impression is that before spending more money to make a 14-foot channel some way should be found to put the eight-foot waterway already rusting, to economic use. —Charlotte Chronicle.

Elsewhere we copy an admirable article from the Wilmington Star on the result of the elections of last week. It measurably voices the despair of the people who halt between the result of government by honest visionaries and government by level headed rascals. They have solved the problem in England, where municipal government, for the most part, is administered with business methods, refined to the last degree, and yielding an ideal return of comfort to the people. That is the result there of a limited though extending elaborate, with consequently a higher grade of public servants. When the triumph of the North in 1865 threw down the bars against universal suffrage, corruption crept into politics in the South. It existed in the Northern cities long before that time, because the flood of immigration was confined to that section and the naturalization laws were corruptly executed there. The balance of power had not then been shifted to the Federal centre, and corruption in politics was localized in the Northern cities, counties and States. Although the South has suffered a political deterioration since the war as a consequence of the extension of suffrage and of the evil example of the victorious section, it has saved from the wreck a marvelous degree of its former rectitude which it has intrenched in "the Solid South." In this lies the only hope.—Fayetteville Observer.

Last Thursday night, when James Bryce, diplomat, historian, man of letters, ambassador from the court of St. James to the people of the United States, stood upon a Raleigh platform and presented, with words of highest praise, the Patterson cup for literary achievement to Clarence Poe, a self-made North Carolina boy, the audience beheld a scene that should forever stamp itself upon their minds. Age and honor, world-wide fame, countless years of opportunity and culture behind the one; behind the other, the honesty, integrity and sturdy manhood of North Carolina farmer folk; the one from the kingly courts, the schools, the scholarship, the culture, and the circumstance of power; the other from a North Carolina farm, without even the circumstance of a college training; their only common possession the blood of the unconquerable Anglo-Saxon race, the broad principles of freedom and the ambition for achievement. Ambassador and country boy! A concrete illustration of the vital principle that has made our race great—equality of opportunity. Culture, class and power have never been permitted to run the English race to seed; they have not been permitted to form an exclusive society that shut out the great masses of the people; the door of opportunity has been kept open, consequently the ambitions, the energies, the talents that are born in a man have been able to seek their level, and the new, strong blood of the masses, and the culture, the opportunity and the power above have formed a combination to whose achievement no bounds have yet been set. The man of opportunity holds out the hand of welcome, the man of talent appropriates the proudest heritages of his race ,and girds himself to set higher still the flag of achievement.—Monroe Journal.

Our country, and especially the South, is just now going through the greatest change in its history. For a long time we looked upon the professional man as the leading figure in public life; he was exerting the dominating influence. But with the growth of the commercial spirit, the merchant princes are now playing the prominent part on the stage of public affairs. Emerson defines commerce as the taking of things from where they are plentiful to where they are needed, and the men who are supplying humanity with its needs, are beginning to exert a greater influence in public affairs. When politics was the South's chief business, statesmen were the prominent figures, but her great merchants are now the men appealed to when important questions are being considered. They are the men who hold the key to the situation and through their efforts the South must look for her greatest benefits. And in their hands our cause is safe, for out of the chaotic tangle in which the commercial world found itself a few decades ago ,they have evolved a system of business that is marvelously honest. The old maxim, that "Honesty is the best policy," has been largely responsible for this moral change, but the natural order has proven that business, as a calling, is respectable and for that reason better men are engaged in it today than ever before. The man who cheats in trade, has been put out of business; there are others with whom people may trade. The one-price system was largely responsible for this. Men now add a legitimate profit to the cost of an article and expect to win by merit and persistent effort. The successful merchants seek trade by pleasing their customers and it has become unpopular to sell a man that which he does not need or disappoint him in either quality or quantity. It has been only a few years since a merchant would get from each man as much as he could for every article and the trade made, neither party expected a change. The man cheated, took it as a joke and waited his turn to get even by the same methods. There exists in the commercial world today a code of morals that men may well afford to study and emulate.—Wadesboro Ansonian.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., has recently published a bulletin entitled "The Prickly Pear as a Farm Crop." This bulletin gives the results of experiments with prickly pears and gives directions for their cultivation. Anyone who is interested may obtain a copy of this bulletin by addressing the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and asking for Bureau of Plant Industry Bulletin No. 124, The Prickly Pear as a Farm Crop.

TAFT SALE

This store join s heartily in welcoming the President to our city and cordially invites all out-of-town visitors to make their headquarters with us.

The visit of President Taft to Wilmington on November 9th will be a memorable occasion. Hundreds of people living in the surrounding territory will join with the residents of our city in giving him a right royal Southern welcome. And Wilmington's leading store will do its full share toward contributing to the enjoyment of the day.

First of all we wish to extend the freedom of our store to all those from out of town. You will find this the largest, most modern, best stocked and most interesting establishment of its kind in Wilmington and the one that best repays a visit, whether you come to rest and look around or for the more important purpose of spending money. You'll find it a comfortable place, with a friendly make-your-self-at-home atmosphere and every one connected with it will show you every courtesy and attention.

To make your visit one of rich profit as well as pleasure, we will present **Extraordinary Special Values in our magnificent new stocks of Millinery, Cloaks, Furs, Dress Goods, and Silks, Men's Clothing, Shoes, Carpets, Etc.**

A great many people will take advantage of their visit to the city on this occasion to supply their Fall and Winter merchandise needs, and we have planned to help them do so by providing unusual special values which will enable them to save substantially on their requirements. Note the special items listed here:

$12.50 Military Capes this Week	$9.98
$10.00 Voile Skirts	$7.50
$5.00 Panama Skirts	$3.50
$15.00 Cloak asst. colors	$12.24
$5.00 Trimmed or Ready to Wear Hats	$3.50
Boys $5.00 Suits	$3.50
Boys $5.00 Over Coat	$3.50
25c Cotton Warp Mattings for	19c.
$1.50 Smyrna Rugs	98c.
50c Flannel Suiting	39c
$15.00 Kirschbaum Suit	$12.50
$12.50 Kirschbaum Suit	$9.98

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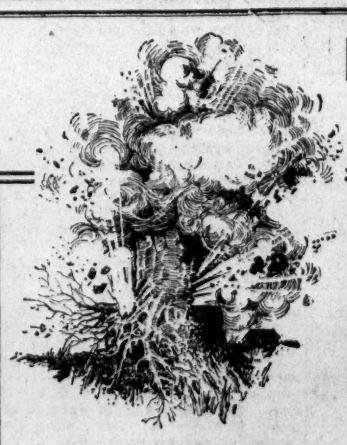
clothes are the best in the world; there are no other clothes made to equal them. Come and see for yourself. Every fabric all wool; tailoring of the highest class known.

Evening clothes, silk lined throughout, as a gentleman's clothes ought to be.



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On MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH, 4 P. M.
THE DU PONT POWDER COMPANY
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On Castle Haynes Road,
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on the farm of W. H. Blake,
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Every Farmer

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Set of Teeth $5.00.
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All our Plates guaranteed to fit and look natural. My plate, and crown and bridge department is the best in the State, and all work is done by a specialist.

Set of teeth made and delivered same day.

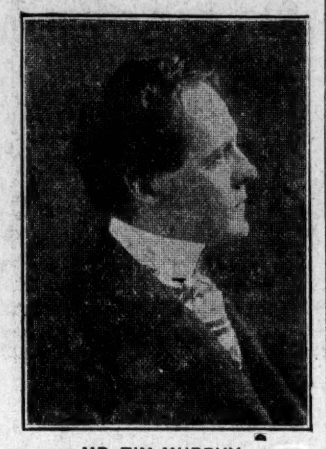
All work latest known to profession. Instruments sterilized after each operation.

EXAMINATION FREE.

The Theatre

Tim Murphy, under the management of Wm. A. Brady and Louis F. Werba, is drifting hitherward in the tide of his tour and the night of good cheer which this insures this city is fixed for tonight at the Academy when the tall comedian will present his success, "Old Innocence," at the Academy of Music.

Like John T. Raymond, Joseph Jefferson and Sol Smith Russell whose art his own resembles, Tim Murphy is essentially quaint and gentle, sentimental as well as funny, and like those predecessors in the royal line of comedy his humor is always American. Asked the other day where he gets his types and where he studied them, Mr. Murphy replied: "My studio is wherever I am." Joel Chandler Harris never had a fixed writing room. He sat down at the first table he came to when the inspiration for one of those delightful Uncle Remus stories came to him. When Tim Murphy was told this of his old friend, he continued: "I can understand that perfectly. It is a curious mental machine which will not work except when seated in some particular environment. For my part I find that my characters develop best unconsciously. They grow out of the suggestion of the striking phases of human nature which I find in my travels—in a railway car, at my own dining table, at church, in the theatre, on the street, everywhere human nature is expressing itself for the artist with an eye which does not merely look but sees as well." He went on to tell that it was on this principal that he developed the amusing characteristics of his role in "Old Innocence."



MR. TIM MURPHY.

At the head of the company supporting Mr. Murphy is charming and gifted Dorothy Sherrod with a whole new wardrobe of modish gowns for the noting of the ladies and the admiration of the men.

Seats are now on sale at the Crystal Palace.

New Bill Daily at the Palace.

A big feature of this week's offering at the popular Crystal palace is that the programme is changed daily. Every day two new farce comedies and different vaudeville numbers constitute each performance and this daily change is coming in for warm praise from delighted Palace-goers. Today two of the brightest and merriest of comedies will be presented, while the specialties will be decidedly clever. The Breton-Runkel Company, which has always heretofore played the Academy, is the fine organization holding forth at the Palace this week, but notwithstanding this the same scale of small prices prevail.

Paul Gilmore's Coming.

The annual tour of Mr. Paul Gilmore this year, under the direction of his new manager, A. J. Spencer, has proved so far to be his most successful venture, according to newspaper extracts from other cities where he has appeared so far in his new comedy drama, "The Call of the North." This play, written by George Broadhurst, author of "The Man of the Hour," and other dramatic hits, furnishes Mr. Gilmore with what the critics have pronounced his most interesting and attractive role. The hero is a young American fur trader whose adventures have carried him into the wilderness of northern Canada and he has been convicted of trespassing on the territory claimed exclusively by the old Hudson Bay Company. His capture, conviction, escape clever maneuvers and daring escapades furnish four acts of tense interest, all laid at a picturesque frontier fort known as Conjuror's House on the river of the Moose away up near Hudson Bay. An idyllic love story involving the young "free trader" and the daughter of his relentless enemy,, the head Factor of the Company, furnishes fascinating heart interest, and the comedy elements are plentifully supplied by the mischievously humorous hero and his bantering of the other quaint and laughable characters.

At the Bijou Today.

At the Bijou today the feature pictures will be "The Bachelor's Visit" and "False Alarm." Both are excellent pictures and will prove interesting to the many patrons of the popular resort.

Funeral of Infant.

The funeral of the three-months-old child of Mr .and Mrs. Geo. C. Jackson, was held from the family residence, 514 Nun street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church. There were many relatives and friends present. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

Young Girls Are Victims

of headache, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood, and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Negro Given Six Months for Assault on Wife.

The Recorder had a large docket yesterday morning, but most of the defendants were charged with no greater crime than drunkenness and disorderly conduct. There were quite a number of these, but not as many as might have been expected. Nick Faison, colored, who made an assault on his wife several days ago, injuring her to such extent that she was confined to her home until yesterday, was convicted of the charge of assault with serious injury and was given six months on the county roads. Maggie Davis, colored, was in court to answer the charge of larceny preferred against her by Alex Gibson, a white man, who alleged that she took $5 from him. When the case was called Gibson said that after he had the warrant issued for the negress he found the money on his person. The case was dismissed at the cost of the prosecutor. Ida Howell, colored, who is thought by the police to know something of the assault made on Mary Johnson, colored, Tuesday, was fined $5 and taxed with the costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. She is held by the police pending further investigation of the assault on Mary Johnson.

THE MILITARY PARADE.

Reasons for Slight Change in the Route Tuesday Afternoon.

Editor Star:—Will you please say through the paper to those citizens and guests who assembled on Grace street and Front and Fourth, between Chesnut and Grace streets, that the Military Parade, escorting President Taft and party ,did not pass on these streets as advertised, but went down Chesnut street, owing to a misunderstanding of my instructions.

The arrival of the U. S. Cutter at the dock ahead of the schedule time, as given me, necessitated my presence and delayed me on Market street, to get the troops into column, with the carriages, which were coming up Market street before I knew the cutter had landed.

On this account I was unable to get to the head of the line of carriages before they had turned from Fourth street into Chesnut street.

I regret exceedingly that so many should have been disappointed on account of the mistake, but it was entirely unavoidable on my part.

I make this statement that the public may know that the line of march was not purposely changed.

J. VAN B. METTS,
Chairman Parade and Escort Com.

THOUGHT TO BE DESERTER.

Wilson Police Captured Man Supposed to be Charles Chick.

Policeman H. A. Warren, of Wilson, one of the officers who came here to do duty during the celebration, left yesterday afternoon for Fort Caswell having in his custody a young white man thought to be Charles W. Chick, who deserted the Coast Artillery service at Fort Terry, N. Y., October 13. He was arrested in Wilson Friday and brought to this city Monday night by Policeman Warren. When arrested Chick had on his person a furlough, giving him leave of absence from October 13th to October 18th, 1909. He claims that his name is not Chick and explains the presence of the furlough by saying that he traded coats with another man and the paper was in the pocket. The Wilson police received from Commander Bennett at Fort Terry a telegram reading as follows: "Charles W. Chick deserted from 43rd company, this fort, October 18th, 1909." Policeman Warren will return from the fort today and leave in the afternoon for his home.

TAKEN FOR MR. TAFT.

Representative E. M. Koonce Had His Fun at Expense of Crowds.

Attired in Prince Albert suit and high hat, Representative E. M. Koonce ,of Onslow, than whom there is no more distinguished personage in the State on dress occasions, had more fun on Taft day than a "barrel of monkeys". Mr. Koonce bears a striking resemblance to the President and several times during the day, he was at first embarrassed, then amused, when one after another along the line of march would bare a head or break into a pleasing smile, according to whether it was lady or gentleman. Koonce was the politest man in town and never failed to return the salute, but up about the welcome arch toward the heel of the afternoon, he could carry the joke no further when a good old colored "mammy" proudly lifted one of her offspring into Mr. Koonce's face and proudly proclaimed, "Great God, honey, dere's Mr. Taff right befo' youse!"

FUNERAL OF MRS. LEWIS.

Services From the Late Residence Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Maggie E. Lewis was held from the late residence, 807 South Fourth street, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church. There were present a large number of relatives and friends. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Messrs. H. McL. Green and S. P. Cowan; active J. M. Enos, C. D. Lord, W. J. Bradshaw, W. H. Howell, Dr. M. H. P. Clark and Mr. Dale.

STARTS SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Action Against Coast Line and One of Its Surgeons.

LaFayette King, a white man, has entered suit in the Superior Court against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company and Dr. Pride J. Thomas. The complaint has not been filed, but it is understood that the suit is for damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received by the plaintiff while working in the upholstering department of the railroad November 10th, 1906, and he will probably ask for $5,000. Mr. King had his collar bone broken and his shoulder was injured. Kellum & Loughlin appear for the plaintiff.

When Tired Out
Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate

It vitalizes the nerves and assists the digestion—refreshes and invigorates the entire system.

DID A GOOD BUSINESS

Other Victims of Pickpockets Reported to Officers.

The pickpockets operated very extensively in this city Tuesday from the reports that reach the officers. Among those touched who were not mentioned in yesterday's paper are: Mr. F. M. Foy, of Scott's Hill, who was relieved of $25; Mr. S. R. Thomas, of Shallotte, for $40 and Mr. F. B. Huggins for $30 and a railroad ticket. Others are said to have been robbed but their names and the amount were not reported to the officers. In speaking yesterday of the pickpockets, Constable Geo. R. Smith, of Harnett township, who was reported yesterday morning as being one of the victims, said that he was "raised" on corner of Market and Water streets. He had $56 in a leather pocket book in his left hip pocket and just two minutes before he discovered his loss he had his hands on his pocketbook. A stranger was standing near him and he spoke of the robbery to him. The officer satisfied himself that the stranger to whom he was talking was not the person who got the money from him. The robber was an expert and secured the pocketbook without disturbing the officer in the least. He did not cut the officer's pocket as was first reported.

A colored man attempted to rob another colored man of his watch at corner of Third and Market streets while Taft was speaking. The "near-victim" was too sharp for the robber, grabbing hold of the watch as it was being taken out of his pocket. The would-be robber moved away rapidly and was soon lost in the crowd.

WILMINGTON CONVOCATION.

Meets at St. John's Church November 17th—Programme.

A meeting of the Convocation of Wilmington will be held in St. John's Episcopal church Wednesday, November 17th, at which time matters of interest in connection with mission work in this section of the State will be discussed.

The programme arranged for the Convocation is as follows: Nov. 17, 7:30 A. M. Holy Communion, Dr. Carmichael, celebrant; 11 A. M., Morning prayer and sermon, Dr. Milton, preacher; 4 P. M., Woman's Auxiliary etc; 8 P. M., Laymen's Forward Movement in the Diocese. Speakers: Messrs. J. A. Taylor, B. R. Huske and T. C. James.

The special work of this meeting of Convocation will be to stir up interest in the Laymen's Forward Movement to raise $4,000 for mission work in East Carolina, and it is expected that a most inteersting set of addresses will be delivered by the prominent laymen whose names are given on the programme, and a large attendance is anticipated, because of the interest and importance of this subject. The general public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CALLS A CONFERENCE.

Boys' Secretary of Y. M. C. A. Spending a Few Days Here.

Mr. C. C. Robinson, Boys, Secretary of the Southern States of the Y. M. C. A., is spending a few days in the city looking over the work of the local Association and has called a conference of the Board of Directors and others for this afternoon. Mr. Robinson will confer with the people with an object of getting them to co-operate with the Association in protecting the boys and providing the best environment for them.

Mr. Robinson's work is a particular feature of the Y. M. C. A. and at the meeting this afternoon at 6:15 o'clock he will explain the different phases of the work. The meeting will be an interesting one and a large number have been invited to attend.

Mr. Robinson for some time past has been working with the Associations of the Carolinas and has arranged a conference for older boys and workers of the two States at Charlotte from February 11th to 13th.

AN INCIDENT OF THE TRIP.

Magnificent Bald Eagle Circled Above President From Orton.

One of the incidents of the President's trip down the river on the Seminole Tuesday was overlooked by many but observed by quite as many more. As the steamer was passing Orton plantation, a magnificent bald eagle suddenly appeared in the horizon, came sailing over the cutter at just the proper altitude, described a complete square in the heavens immediately over the Seminole and then disappeared toward the West.

"Who knows," a gentleman inquired yesterday, "but that this bird was the mate of the splendid specimen of his kind that was used yesterday so strikingly and appropriately in the simple but effective decorations just over the main entrance of the President at the residence of Mr. James Sprunt the same morning?"

WRECK ON SEABOARD

Rear End Collision at Armour Late Tuesday Night—Slight Injuries.

Traffic on this end of the Seaboard Air Line was tied up for several hours yesterday morning on account of a rear-end collision of a freight train with the third section of a Seaboard special Taft Day train, both going out of Wilmington, at Armour, N. C. The passenger train was ahead of the freight and had stopped at the station when the freight train dashed into the rear coach. Twenty-five or thirty passengers were slightly bruised but none was seriously hurt. The freight was No. 17 in charge of Conductor Black and Engineer Robinson, who was worst hurt and was taken to his home near Armour. The train from Hamlet did not arrive until yesterday morning and there was several hours' delay in dispatching the 4.50 train out of Wilmington.

A Beautiful Kindness.

Mrs. James Sprunt, President Taft's gracious hostess at breakfast Tuesday sent to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, to the Catherine Kennedy Home, and to the Hospital Circle of the King's Daughters more than a hundred pounds of grapes from the decorations of the President's table, a fitting and graceful compliment to those who were unable to witness the great event of November 9th, 1909.

A DELICIOUS FLAVOR may be obtained for every dainty by using BAUER'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS

TWO OFFICERS DISCIPLINED.

Policemen A. D. Smith and R. L. Rouse Engaged in Altercation.

An unfortunate personal clash between Policemen A. D. Smith and R. L. Rouse, both well known members of the police force, at the union station yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, in which the first named was charged with striking his fellow officer over the head with his club and the latter was charged with drawing his revolver upon the former, was the subject of a very rigid examination by the Police and Fire Commission last night at the City Hall, Chairman Springer presiding and all members of the body being in attendance.

From the evidence of a number of witnesses, including Sergeant C. W. Woolard, of the Department, and several railroad men, including Baggage Agent Claude Murray and Yardmaster F. K. Hottal, the two men had previously had some words when Mr. Smith had declined to allow Mr. Rouse and his brother to go through a gate at the shed for the latter to board an outward bound train, and that afterwards the two men met and were having words over the matter when Mr. Rouse applied an epithet to his fellow officer, who retaliated with a blow across the head, recovering from which Mr. Rouse drew his pistol but was quickly disarmed by the railroad men, while Sergeant Woolard placed both under arrest for engaging in an affray. After hearing the testimony of all available witnesses and considering the testimony for some time, it was announced that in the opinion of the Commission both men had acted hastily and that Mr. Smith would be suspended for 60 days while Mr. Rouse would be peremptorily dismissed.

Just before adjournment Chief of Police N. J. Williams reported that the police did good work on Taft Day and that they got through without a hitch. Mr. French quoted Mr. L. C. Wheeler, secret service agent, as saying that when the Presidential party were in Augusta, Ga., they thought they had struck a perfect police organization, but that the manner of handling the crowds here surpassed the Georgia town and was absolutely perfect in every way. The Commissioners agreed that the policemen did their duty well and their work was a credit to the city.

THE MILITIAMEN LEAVE.

Two Companies Remained Until Yesterday—Five Boys Left.

With the exception of two companies and five members of another, all the military organizations left Tuesday night for their respective homes. The Clinton company left yesterday morning and the Concord company remained here until 7 o'clock last evening. Five members of the Oxford company got confused as to the time their train was due to leave here and had to remain over until yesterday. Col. John VanB. Metts arranged for them to leave on the Seaboard train yesterday afternoon.

The prompt and efficient work of the Wilmington Light Infantry and Wilmington company of Naval Reserves brought forth many comments from the visitors and townspeople alike. The W. L. I. boys were at the union station Tuesday morning and did fine work in keeping the crowds from going beyond the ropes, and then went to the government wharf, where they performed similar service In parade they were placed in the rear in order to open the crowds at corner of Third and Princess streets so the automobiles could be taken through just after the review by President Taft and Governor Kitchin. The Naval Reserves were on duty at the residence of Mr. James Sprunt, where they did splendid work.

New York's Large Ticket.

Mr. Fred T. Skipper, clerk of the Recorder's court, yesterday received from his brother, Mr. T. E. Skipper, of New York, formerly of this city and most pleasantly remembered here, one of the official tickets used in the New York election last Tuesday. The Australian ballot system is used there and the ticket, on which are all the candidates is 10 1-2 by 47 1-2 inches in size. This particular ticket was for use in Brooklyn, the 12th election district, 11th Assembly district, county of Kings. The ticket was shown to a number of Mr. Skipper's friends and was viewed with much interest.

Capt. Burriss in Command.

In its account of the decoration of the harbor craft the Star, through an inadvertence in referring to the very handsome decorations on the steamer Wilmington, failed to state that Captain O. D. Burriss is the master of the steamer and it was under his direction that the very elaborate scheme of decorations were carried out. Captain John W. Harper, as owner and manager, also took as much interest and pride in the steamer as his efforts won the plaudits of the people as the craft glided gracefully down stream after the President's boat.

Ready to Settle Bills.

It is the desire of the committee to settle as soon as possible all bills of the Taft celebration and it is the request that they be presented to chairmen of the various committees for approval, after which they will be settled by presenting to Mr. M. S. Willard, treasurer of the Taft fund.

WHY HE DOES IT

It isn't often that we have faith enough in the medicines put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure, said druggist J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. to one of the many customers, "but we are glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan.

"The Dr. Howard Co., in order to get a quick introductory sale authorized us to sell the regular fifty cent bottle of their specific for half-price, 25 cents, and although we have sold a lot of it, and guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory."

There are sixty doses in a vial that can be carried in the vest pocket or purse, and every one has more medicinal power than a big pill or tablet or a tumbler of mineral water

"We are still selling the specific at half-price, although we cannot tell how long we shall be able to do so. Any person who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this opportunity.

MR. J. A. JORDAN DEAD.

Funeral Services Held From the Residence Yesterday.

Many friends learned yesterday with deep regret of the death late Tuesday night of Mr. J. A. Jordan, a well known and prominent insurance agent, which occurred at his home, 505 South Fifth street. Mr. Jordan had been seriously ill for two weeks of peritonitis, which caused his death.

Mr. Jordan was 48 years old and is survived by his wife and four children, Mr. Samuel Coley, of Saxapahaw, N. C.; Miss Maggie Jordan and Messrs. Laurence G. and Paul R. Jordan, of Wilmington. To them is extended the sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement. Mr. Jordan was prominent in local fraternal circles, being a member of the Royal Arcanum, the Woodmen of the World, Junior Order, U. A. M., Hanover Lodge No. 145, I. O. O. F.; Campbell Encampment, and the Wilmington Lodge of Masons. The funeral services were conducted from the late residence at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, assisted by Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist church. There were present a large number of relatives and friends, including representatives of each of the above named orders to which Mr. Jordan belonged. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The remains were conveyed to the union station and taken on the 7 o'clock train to Burlington, where the interment will occur today. The pall-bearers to the train were: Honorary, Messrs. C. W. Hewlett and M. F. Pittman; active, E. S. Hancock, J. H. Williams, R. F. Brown, C. McD. Jones, O. E. Merritt and J. F. Bradshaw.

Headaches and Neuralgia from Colds.

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Shoemaking Secrets

The most important part of a shoe—wear considered—is the sole. The best old-method tanned sole leather is none too good for this purpose, yet many manufacturers use quick tannages of cheap leathers and "fill" the soles with glucose and other adulterations to cover defects. The insole in some shoes is cut from such thin stock that it cannot be channelled to receive the stitch when the upper and the welt are sewed on. A piece of canvas is often substituted for the leather, channelled up to hold the shoe together.

There are no secrets about the **Craddock Shoe.** The soles, insole (5) and outer sole (4), come from the very finest, toughest and the most expensive sole leather money can buy. The insole is as heavy as lots of makers use for outer soles.

The counters (3) are the best one-piece counters made from the best sole leather. Only one grade of lining—the best—is used all the way through. The top lift (2) of the heel in the **Craddock Shoe** costs more than the whole heel and top lift of some other shoes made at this price. Vamps (7), tops (8), facings and stays (9) are all cut from pieces of the finest leather.

Counters are often made of canvas stiffened with glue. They cost less than solid leather, but the heat from the foot crumples them. Toe boxes, too, can be made of canvas instead of leather, and sometimes for linings a cheap grade is substituted away down inside where you can't see. Heels are almost always made of pieces of sole leather fitted together in glue; sometimes the very worst of scrap is used, topped with a fair grade of "top lift". These are the parts the man who wears the shoe never sees. He buys these on faith. There are lots of other secrets in the shoe business.

The **Craddock Shoe** is not "skinned" in any particular. There are no hidden weaknesses to develop after the shoe is bought. There are no dishonest savings or profits—taken from worth and wear.

The **Craddock Shoe,** made in all leathers, sold for $3.50 and $4.00 everywhere, will wear 30 days longer than any other shoe at the same price.

CRADDOCK-TERRY CO., Manufacturers
Lynchburg, Va.

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THE WILMINGTON SHOE CO.

523 NORTH FOURTH STREET.

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THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY.

Bargains in Millinery

We have purchased two sample lines of Fancy Feathers, Wings, Birds, Ostrich Feathers, Ornaments, Buckles, Braids and Pins which we will place on sale during this week for about one-half their regular value.

Sample line of ladies' and children's Hats are also displayed at prices that will average one-third to one-half off their value. A rare chance to buy your new Fall hat at a greatly reduced price.

Carpet Specials This Week

We have a lot of short lengths of carpets suitable for rooms or halls, in 10 to 25 yard lengths, which we offer at 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.10 per yard; worth from 75c to $1.65 per yard.

Our carpet department is the largest in the State. We are prepared to furnish you with any amount, does not matter how small or large the order may be. We quote prices on our carpets and matting laid on your floor. None but best workmen employed. Come, see our immense stock.

The C. W. POLVOGT CO.

IN SOCIETY

Miss Vera Turbin, of Clifton, N. C., is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Hurst.

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Mrs. John P. Cameron, of Rockingham, is a guest of her friend, Mrs. John W .Blomme, in this city.

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Mrs. C. W. Gasque, of Charleston, S. C., is a guest of Capt. and Mrs. L. Crocker, at 316 North Fourth street.

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Mrs. Walker Taylor and children left last evening for Washington, D. C., where they will spend some time.

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Mr. W. H. Overton, of Durham, visited in the city during the Taft celebration and left yesterday for Newbern.

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The Literature Department of Sorosis will meet in its room at the Library at 4 o'clock this afternoon. A full attendance is desired.

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Hon. H. L. Godwin and Maj. Samuel H. Smith, of Winston-Salem, who were guests of Mr. Z. W. Whitehead for the Taft celebration, left yesterday for their homes.

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Mr .and Mrs. Wells A. Sherman, of Vienna, Va., after attending the Farmers' National Congress in Raleigh last week, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Murrell, at Farmer, N. C.

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There will be an important meeting of the Wilmington sub-division of the Red Cross Society in the parlors of the Colonial Inn Friday morning at 11 o'clock. The annual election of officers will take place and other business of an important character will be transacted.

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One of the pleasant features of the celebration Tuesday was the entertainment that afternoon of Mr. Mischler, assistant secretary to the President, by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rehder, at their pretty and hospitable home on Market street, where the guest met a number of Wilmington people and was later taken for a delightful auto drive to Wrightsville Sound.

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Miss Elizabeth Moore, State President of the W. C. T. U., will be in the city today and tomorrow and will speak to ladies only at Grace M. E. Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock, while the general public is invited to hear her Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church. Miss Moore will speak to the children at the same church Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is hoped that large congregations will be present at each of the appointments .

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Mr. Owen Holmes and Mrs. Josh T. James left Tuesday afternoon for Charleston, S. C., where this evening they will attend the marriage of Mr. Henry London Taylor, formerly of this city, and Miss Alice Sinkler, which will be solemnized at the home of the bride. Mr. Holmes will act as best man. The prospective groom has many friends in Wilmington, where he resided until a year ago when he went to Charleston to live.

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An amusing and interesting incident of the dinner given to Mr. Taft on Tuesday evening, of which only casual mention was made yesterday, was the presentation, through Senator Lee S. Overman, of a "negro mammy" souvenir to the President by Mrs. Earl I. Brown. Both Capt. Brown and Mrs. Brown were personal friends of Mr. Taft when he was in the Philippines and they later knew him in Washington. The little incident was very pleasing to the President and renewed a very pleasant acquaintanceship of some years ago.

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Col. and Mrs. John D. Taylor celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday. The observance was of a quiet nature, but was an exceedingly happy occasion and many friends and relatives called and extended Colonel and Mrs. Taylor their warmest congratulations. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Scales, of Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Borden, of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. E. S. Tennent, of Spartanburg, S. C. Mrs. Scales and Mrs. Borden are daughters of Colonel and Mrs. Taylor.

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Although the ladies did not participate outwardly in Wilmington's splendid entertainment of President Taft and party—a fact remarked upon with regret by Mr. Taft himself—there was just a small delegation of them on the platform for the speaking at the City Hall and none were greater admirers of the Chief Executive. In the party were Mrs. Walter L. Parsley, Mrs. Donald MacRae, Mrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, Mrs. L. H. Love, Miss Julia Parsley, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Miss Hettie James, Miss Julia James, Miss Bessie Gore, Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Cameron F. MacRae.

Left For Drainage Convention.

Collector of Customs B. F. Keith left yesterday afternoon for Newbern where he will attend the State Drainage Convention, the date having been changed in order that it might not conflict with the President's entertainment in Wilmington and in order that Mr. Keith, as one of the pioneers in the movement, might make one of the principal addresses of the convention.

For Foreclosure of Mortgage.

A suit for the foreclosure of a mortgage was instituted in the Superior Court yesterday entitled A. M. Prince against the Stephens Construction Company, and others. Individuals are made parties to the suit on account of the endorsement of a note for $1,665. Kellum & Loughlin represent the plaintiff.

Forced Into Exile.

Wm. Upchurch, of Glen Oak, Okla., was an exile from home. Mountain air, he thought, would cure a frightful lung-racking cough that had defied all remedies for two years. After six months he returned, death dogging his steps. "Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," he writes, "and after taking six bottles I am as well as ever." It saves thousands yearly from desperate lung diseases. Infallible for coughs and colds, it dispels hoarseness and sore throat. Cures grip, bronchitis, hemorrhages, asthma, croup, whooping cough. 50c and $1.00, trial bottle free, guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner Calhoun E. Ross, Capt. Coulburn, arrived yesterday from Carteret, N. J., with a cargo of fertilizer constituents to be discharged to the Seaboard; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

—A license was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. George T. Hardwick and Mrs. Bettie Bornemann, both of the city, the wedding to be solemnized this evening at No. 15 Walnut street.

—In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday morning Frank Constand, a Greek, was given a judgment for $5 against Grega Bros., who have one of the shows at the carnival. Constand sued for $15 alleged to be due him for wages.

—Through an error yesterday, it was stated that Mr. Hugh MacRae presented to the Confederate veterans in line some very fine cigars. As a matter of fact ,the cigars were with the compliments of Mr. Walter L. Parsley and the presentation was through Capt. Donald MacRae.

—J. W. Walker has instituted suit in Justice Bornemann's court against W. T. Croom for $20 alleged to be due for oysters sold to the defendant Tuesday. According to Walker, Croom was to pay for the oysters yesterday morning, but failed to do so. The case has been set for trial at 12 o'clock today.

—The case against Mark Winner, charged by the New Hanover Transit Company with trespass at Carolina Beach, set for trial before Justice Harriss yesterday was indefinitely postponed. The title to the land in question is in controversy, a civil action now pending in the Superior Court to determine the owner, hence a continuance of the trespass case.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Carolina Real Estate Trust Co., to Apollonius Tyszka, of Commonsburg, Pa., for $3,000, farms No. 95 to 104 inclusive at Marathan colony, the whole containing about 100 acres; Marsden Bellamy, Jr. commissioner, to Sallie M. S. Hicks, for $2,830, lot on northwest corner of Third and Church streets, 50x66 feet in size.

—It was impossible yeesterday in the rush of covering all the features of the President's entertainment to observe the ordinary rules of accuracy that should obtain in every newspaper office, except on very rare occasions. An inadvertence was the omission of the name of Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen from the number of those who breakfasted with the President at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sprunt.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. E. S. Smith, of Marines, N. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: Mrs. J. M. Smith and Miss Sallie Lee Smith, of Elkton.

—Mr. Wm. Struthers, Jr. of this city, underwent an operation for appendicitics at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., yesterday morning and from a telegram to Mr. F. M. Southerland last night he is getting on very nicely, his hundreds of friends in Wilmington will be glad to learn.

DEATH OF AGED LADY

Mrs. Suanna Cashwell Passed Away at Catherine Kennedy Home.

Mrs. Susanna Wilcox Cashwell died at the Catherine Kennedy Home, 903 Princess street, at 3:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the advanced age of 90 years. She had been in declining health for a number of years, but her immediate illness was of only about a week's duration.

Mrs. Cashwell, who was Miss Susanna Moody before her marriage, was born in Richmond, Va., in 1819. She was of a prominent Virginia family and has large family connections in that State. Her only immediate relative is Miss Nannie M. Newby, of Norfolk, Va., a niece, who was with her when the end came. Mrs. Cashwell was twice married, her first husband being Dr. John Mayes, of Louisburg, Va., where she lived for many years. After his death she married Mr. David Cashwell, of North Carolina, and removed to Wlmington, where Mr. Cashwell was Clerk of the United States Court until his death some years ago. For the past ten years Mrs. Cashwell has lived at the Catherine Kennedy Home. She was a woman greatly beloved by all who knew her and her death is mourned by hundreds of friends.

The funeral services will be held from the Home at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church, assisted by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church. Interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

CLEAR RUN LUMBER COMPANY

Property Sold at Auction by the Receivers Yesterday.

C. F. MacRae, Esq., returned to the city last night from Clear Run, Sampson county, where yesterday he attended the receivers' sale of all the real and personal property of the Clear Run Lumber Company, Mr. MacRae being of counsel for the receivers. Messrs. T. J. Pratt and A. J. Johnson. The property of the company included 231 acres of land, saw mill plant and other machinery, four miles of standard guage railroad and considerable timber. The property was bid in by C. A. Brown & Bro., Ivanhoe; Walker Bros., Rutherfordton, and R. P. Rankin, Gastonia, for $5,500. The sale will probably be confirmed by the court.

TORPEDO BOATS LEAVE

Flotilla Here For Taft Celebration Clears For Charleston.

The flotilla of torpedo boats that participated in the Taft celebration cleared yesterday morning at 5 o'clock for Charleston, S. C., where they are stationed at the Navy yard at that place.

Through the kindness of the commanding officer the public was accorded the privilege of inspecting the fighting craft Tuesday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock. A large number of visitors went aboard and viewed the boats with much interest. The torpedo boat flotilla was a feature of the marine parade.

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information about some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

ITS ELEVENTH ANNIVERSARY

W. L. I. as Constituted in Troublous Times of '98 Held Annual Reunion With Banquet Last Night—Speakers.

With "A Greater Wilmington" the theme of a number of interesting and very enthusiastic addresses and an elegant spread of refreshments including oysters, salads, barbecue, coffee and other tempting edibles that did not suffer by comparison with a full-grown Taft Day celebration, members of the Wilmington Light Infantry as it was constituted during the troublous times of 1898 last night in the Masonic Temple most auspiciously celebrated their eleventh anniversary.

Colonel Thomas C. James, commander of the organiation, presided with infinite genius as toastmaster and the responses were by Past Commander Walker Taylor, in charge of all the troops in Wilmington during the racial troubles of '98; Messrs. Thos. H. Wright, J. D. Nutt, Colonel C. H. White, Colonel J. VanB. Metts and the three commissioned officers of the W. L. I. as now constituted, Captain E. A. Metts, Lieutenant P. L. Cantwell and Lieutenant J. B. Lynch, who were among the guests of the evening. The theme of the addresses developed in considering the changes which time has wrought since the days which the association commemorates and all were inspiring and of a most pleasing nature, reflecting the newer Wilmington spirt which is destined to bring this city to the fore witnin the next very few years. Colonel James, the toastmaster at the conclusion of the other addresses, was called upon and responded happily along general lines, his remarks being especially enthusiastic and nspiring to his hearers.

The annual election resulted in the choice of the same officers for the ensuing year. The reunion was declared by quite everyone in attendance the most successful yet given. Those present were: Colonel Jomes, Colonel Taylor, Colonel White, Colonel Metts, Messrs. R. N. Sweet, Geo. S. Boylan, J. P. Quelch, W. N. Harriss, J. B. Cooper, E. M. Beery, J. D. Nutt, J. H. Taylor, Jr., C. D. Maffitt, E. B. Moore, Clayton Giles, Jr., Roger Moore, John D. Bellamy, Jr., 3rd, Thos H. Wright and the following special guests: Captain E. A. Metts, Lieutenants Cantwell and Lynch.

ROBBERS' BOLD ATTEMPT

Boarded American Express And Were Caught in the Act.

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 10.—An attempt to rob New York Central train No. 24 the American Express between Lyons and this city tonight was frustrated and two men were arrested at the point of guns. A third is believed to have fallen under the train and killed.

The two men arrested are not locked up in this city charged with attempted express robbery. They said they were George William, aged 18, and Frank Brown, aged 16, and that tney resided in Buffalo.

American Experss generally is laden with silks and other valuable goods consigned by shippers in New Orleans and other cities to New England merchants.

Tonight there were ten cars. A car on the train was looted of several hundred dollars worth of silks four weeks ago, and two weeks ago New York Central detectives, William Hennessey and Frank Boquard were ordered to ride the train between Buffalo and this city. Both were well armed.

When the train stopped at Lyons at 9 o'clock this evening the detectives and Express Manager Beard noticed three men with a large electric flash lamp walking along the tracks examining the cars. When they reached the car in which were the officials they mounted the steps and waited for the train to pull out. The locomotive was soon speeding a mile a minute and the men with the skeleton key turned the lock. A large chain still held the door and this was soon pulled from the wood work by a claw hammer.

Two men entered the car and were quickly covered by the officers' guns and ordered to throw up their hands. No trace of the third man could be found.

BRAILEY BUYS HEAVILY

Now Controls Indiana Telephone Company—Bell Not Interested.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 10.—James S. Brailey, Jr., of Toledo, Ohio, today acknowleuged that he had bought a controlling interest in the new Long Distance Telephone Company, of Indiana. He would not say with whom he was associated in the deal.

Mr. Braley it is understood has bought 75 per cent. of the stock of the company at 60c on the dollar and the purchase price has been paid. Mr. Brailey denied that he represented the Bell interests.

"Then do you represent the Postal Telegrapa Company" Mr. Brailey was asked. "That is a matter of which I shall not speak', he answered.

Among business men that have been concerned in the development of independent transportation lines it is said that purchases of the stock of different companies in Indiana and Ohio by Mr. Brailey and his associates will reach $10,000,000.

A charter was granted by the State Corporation Commission at Richmond yesterday to a newspaper corporation, the Virginian Company, headed by the Rev. James Cannon, Jr., editor of the Christian Advocate, which is the organ of the Metnodist Conference of Virginia, and superintendent of the Virginia anti-saloon league. The capital stock is stated as $100,000.

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Robert R. Bellamy.

The ads will show you whether or not there's a chance today to buy that piece of furniture at your price.

The messages from the merchants are always interesting—and usually affect the "state of your purse."

Not What He Expected.

A doctor in a Yorkshire village lately gave up his house and was succeeded in it by a veterinary surgeon. Before he had been many weeks in his new home the "vet" was awakened in the early hours of a rather bleak spring morning. Opening the window, he heard a voice call out of the darkness:

"Can you come with me at once, mister? She's very bad."

The surgeon dressed and found a trap waiting to take him to a farm two or three miles away from the village. On the way he asked a few questions about the case he was to attend.

"I'm afraid there's very little hope for her," said the farmer. "She's been ailing now, you see, for ten years, and she's getting pretty old as well."

Annoyed at being called out at such an hour to see an obviously not very valuable animal, the veterinary surgeon exclaimed, "Why on earth don't you shoot her?"

"What!" exclaimed the farmer. "Shoot my mother!"

Then the "vet" understood that it was the previous tenant who was wanted. —London Tit-Bits.

Work Day on a Mississippi Plantation.

The day begins on a plantation when it is yet night. The big bell rings between 4 and 5 o'clock for the "hands" to go to the fields. Mammy starts her small sable assistants around at the "big house" with early coffee about 6. Without this tiny cup of cafe noir your true creole gets up on the wrong side of the bed. He has no appetite for breakfast after a ride through the fields and still less for his generous noonday dinner. Supper is served at night, and the dishes are typically southern—the corn and batter breads, fried chickens and waffles and fig preserves, with "sillabub," that moonbeam mixture that makes modern ices and confections heavy by comparison, for dessert. Life on a plantation is not dull. There are visits to town and a constant stream of visitors from town. There are "sugar house" parties and hog killings, Christmas doings and Thanksgiving dinners, to say nothing of house parties and hunts.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Buttered Bread With His Thumb.

Cat's meat is the only survival of a way of serving meat that prevailed in this country before the introduction of forks, for it was the custom in mediaeval times to serve roast meat on a spit and to pass it around the table for each guest to cut off what he liked, a method that did not allow one person only to secure the carver's titbits. In France one still finds chicken livers and bacon served on small spits, and to the Britisher it always suggests at first sight the food of the domestic cat. It is probable that many people continued to prefer fingers to table utensils, even after these were perfected and in general use, for knives were certainly invented at the period when Charles XII. chose to butter his bread with his royal thumb.—London Chronicle.

A Wave of Water.

There is no necessary connection between the advance of a wave and the forward movement of the water composing it, as may be seen by running the fingers along the keys of a piano. An inverted wave travels along, but the keys merely move up and down. Similarly a wave may often be observed running along the ripe ears of golden grain, while the stalks are firmly rooted in the soil. The onward progress of a sea wave is easily perceptible, and by watching some light substance floating on the surface the fact is revealed that the water is not moving with the same velocity.—Chambers' Journal.

A Hint and a Hump.

A woman there was, and she wrote for the press, as you or I might do. She told how to cut and sew a dress and how to cook many a savory mess, but she never had done it herself, I guess, but none of her readers knew. She told how to comb and dress the hair and how out of a barrel to make a chair—'twould adorn any parlor and give it an air—we thought the tale was true. Oh, the days we spent and the nights we spent, with hammer and saw and tack, in making a chair in which no one would sit, in which no one could possibly sit, without a crick in the back.—Economical Housewife.

TO AILING WOMEN

A Little Sound Advice Will Help Many a Sufferer in Wilmington.

No woman can be healthy and well if the kidneys are sick. Poisons that pass off in the secretions when the kidneys are well, are retained in the body when the kidneys are sick. Kidneys and bladder become inflamed and swollen and worse troubles quickly follow. This is often the true cause of bearing down pains, lameness, backache, sideache, etc. Uric poisoning also causes headaches, dizzy spells, languor, nervousness and rheumatic pain.

When suffering so, try Doan's Kidney Pills, a remedy that cures sick kidneys. You will get better as the kidneys get better, and health will return when the kidneys are well. Let a Wilmington woman tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. J. E. Marshburn, 516 Castle St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I suffered a great deal from backache and pains through my loins. Headaches were also frequent and the kidney secretions passed irregularly. I always felt tired and languid and little like doing my housework. Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at Robert R. Bellamy's drug store, cured me and improved my health. I am willing to have my name used in endorsing such a reliable remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FATHER 80—MOTHER 76

The aged father and mother of a prominent Boston lawyer safely carried through the last two winters by

Vinol

The son says: "My father and mother owe their present strength and good health to Vinol. During the last two trying winters neither of them had a cold, and were able to walk farther and do more than for years. I think Vinol is perfectly wonderful. It certainly is the greatest blood-making, strengthening tonic for old people I ever heard of."

We want every feeble old person in this town to try Vinol. We will return their money without question if it does not accomplish all we claim for it.

Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington.

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who want good looking, durable and stylish Shoes at moderate prices. We'll just put it mildly and say that We've the best $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes this country produces.

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says buy a bottle of Gowan's Preparation and be prepared for croup, colds, pneumonia, coughs and sore throat. Gowan's prevents and cures by destroying inflammation and congestion. External and penetrating. $1.00, 50c, 25c. All druggists.

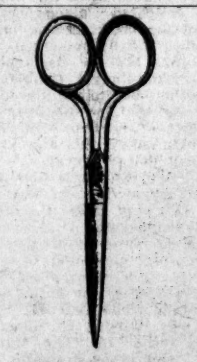
SOME CUTLERY TALK

You have often heard wife say: "I wish I could find a scissor or carver as good as the one mother used to have." Well, here is our proposition: We will sell you scissor, carver or knife, and if you are dissatisfied with it, we will exchange same or refund full purchase price. Is that fair enough?

Boker's, 50, 60, 75c

Pat. Cap Lifter Blade, 50c each.

This Knife, with cap lifter.....50c
With pearl handle.....$1.00



25c, 30c, 35c.

50c

CARVERS
Per Set.....50c to $15

This Knife..... 75c

Boker's Best.....$1.50

Boker's.....50c, 75c, $1.00

This Knife.....50c

This Knife.....50c

Most acceptable presents you can give. We give you a penny with each "to keep from cutting friendship."

N. JACOBI HARDWARE CO.

10 and 12 South Front Street.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 54 cents.

ROSIN—market, steady $3.50 per barrel.

TAR—Firm $1.90 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm. $2.50 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30; tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50; $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 26
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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 11, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Wednesday, Nov. 10th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 54 degrees; 8 P. M. 60 degrees; maximum 68 degrees; minimum 54 degrees; mean 61 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0; for the month, .30 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Tuesday 5.0 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Thursday, warmer in the interior, Friday fair, warmer in east portion; moderate east to southeast winds.

Port Calendar—Nov. 11.

Sun Rises.....6:41 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:11 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 31 min.
High water at Southport 7:00 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:00 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Gayiord's—Great Offerings.
S. L. Smith & Son.—Furnaces.
Crystal Palace—Change of Bill.
J. Bryan Grimes—Certificate of Dissolution.
American. National. Bank—Government Supervision.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Stenographer.
Wanted—Good Solicitors.
To Let—Cormfortable Rooms.
Junction Restaurant—Broiled Lobsters.
Smith & Lord—Attractive Country Home.
Marie Howe Jackson—Information Wanted.

TAMPERED WITH JURIES

Commissioners Accused in Chicago. Refused a Confession.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—When the judge's committee, investigating the jury commissioners, convened here today State Attorney Wayman offered to introduce an alleged confession signed by Nicholas J. Martin, relative to alleged tampering with jury drawings in the commissioner's office. Martin is the private secretary of Alderman Michael Kenna, of the first ward, and is now under indictment with Jury Commissioners John J. Holland and W. J. Rayburn, for complicity in alleged illegal drawing of grand and petit juries.

Judges Barnes, Honore and Rinaker, investigating committee, decided that the investgation was a judical and court procedure and the execution is that it will henceforth be governed by the usual legal rates in the presentation of evidence.

The judges refused to regard the alleged confession as evidence and declined to permit it to be read.

The prosecutor asserts that Martin admitted that he had agreed to furnish Rayburn with a list of names of men who would be amenable to outside influence should they be called as jurors in the trial of Police Inspector McCann, who was recently found guilty of accepting money from improper persons for protection purposes.

The judges gave State's Attorney Wayman permission to file the alleged confession but would not allow him to read it as evidence. The State's attorney then withdrew the document and declared his case closed.

When the hearing is resumed next Wedneday the judges will inspect the office of the jury commissioners and the commissioners will present rebuttal of the allegations made by the State's attorney.

BOOKMAKERS LOSE $60,000.

On Latonia Horse Race Events—Cleverly Executed.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 10.—Denver and Salt Lake City bookmakers yesterday lost $60,000 on horse races at the Latonia track near Cincinnati through a cleverly executed tapping of telegraph wires near the Latonia race track. The odds on Howard Pearson, the winner of the sixth race yesterday at the track was boosted from 7 to 1 to 20 to 1, and even as high as 40 to 1. Hand bookmakers reluctantly admitted tonight that they lost heavily on the race and many of the Denver bookmakers today refused to pay bets on the race. Two of them, it is said, were forced out of business.

According to a local bookmaker, the odds apparently were changed before post time and "the boost" from 7 to 1 to 20 to 1 did not cause suspicion. When the wire was tapped the post odds were held back and the false odds were sent out. Then the plunge was made. It is said that the operations extended to Chicago also.

MEETS AT WINSTON SOON.

Executive Committee of Conference for Education in South.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Nov. 10.—The executive committee of the Conference for Education in the South will meet in this city on next Wednesday, November 17th, to decide where the next conference will be held and to adopt plans for work of an educational nature in the South.

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RAILWAY ASSOCIATION MEN.

Re-elected Geo. Post President—Prominent Men Speak.

New York, Nov. 10.—George A. Post was re-elected president of the Railway Business Association at its business session here this afternoon. Charles A. Moore was re-elected treasurer; W. G. Pearce of Chicago, was chosen to fill a new vice presidency created at the meeting. The other vice president were re-elected as follows: H. H. Westinghouse, O. H. Cutler, W. H. Marshall, E. S. Keith, A. H. Mulliken and O. R. Letchworth. The report of the executive committee was submitted.

A banquet was held tonight at which a number of addresses by prominent railroad men were made.

Legislation enough for the present, argued men who manage railroads; further Federal control pleaded legislators; co-operation in the interests of fair dealings proposed shippers and others.

These varied views on behalf of the common carriers of the country were expressed tonight at the banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria. The Association had as its guests at the table more than 600 men interested in railroads.

The keynote of the address of Geo. A. Post, president of the association, who acted as toastmaster, was, "Conference, Conciliation and Concession by All Concerned."

Representative W. P. Hepburn, of Iowa, author of the Hepburn act, however, suggested that there were yet railroad matters over which the government should have control.

William S. Brown, president of the New York Central Lines, W. H. Marshall, president of the American Locomotive Company, and President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, were among the others who spoke, while letters were sent by President McCrea, of the Pennsylvania; Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago & Northwestern, and President W. W. Finley, of the Southern Railway.

ALDRICH TOURING THE WEST.

Making Speeches in Interest of Monetary Reform.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 10.—That Senator Aldrich is becoming rapidly westernized his friends will be convinced when he returns to New York and Washington if he wears a pair of fringed leather breeches, such as the cowboys call "chaps." They were presented to him today by former United States Senator Manderson. The presentation formed the merriest feature of a noon-day lunch tendered the Senator at the Omaha Club by Luther Drake, a banker.

Mr. Aldrich did not know what to cal the trousers nor did he make explicit promise to wear them, but he accepted them with evident pleasure.

Mr. Aldrich arrived early today on his tour of the West in the interest of monetary reform and in addition to informal speech at the Omaha Club he delivered an address tonight before the Commercial Club.

Senator Aldrich had been advised here he would be in the heart of the "enemy's country". In addition he had been preseeded by Congressman Fowler, of New Jersey, until recently chairman of the House Committee on Banking and Currency, who was represented to have severely criticised what are supposed to be some of the Rhode Island Senators' banking ideas.

The hope had been that Mr. Aldrich would give some attention to these opposing elements, but all he did was to refute the idea that his efforts as a legislator were purely in the interest of the Eastern States. He asserted that his efforts had ever been to serve the interests of all sections and all classes.

PICKETT CONVICTED

Used Mails With Scheme to Fraud. Had Four Wives.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 10.—Lucian Pickett, who, it was charged, married four women and absconded with several hundred dollars of their money, also money of woman to whom he became engaged, was convicted in the United States District Court today on the charge of using the mails in a scheme to defraud. The extreme sentence which can be imposed is four and a half years in the penitentiary and a fine of $1,500.

Pickett's four wives were in four, as well some of the girls to whom he had promised marriage.

The testimony showed that invariably Pickett borrowed money from his wives or prospective wives for the purpose of entering upon a busines deal.

MRS. WOOTEN CONVICTED

Aged Statesville Woman Sent to Jail For Blockading.

Statesville, N. C., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Bettie Wooten, 69 years old, was convicted in the Superior Court here today of blockading and sentenced to 30 days in jail. Louis Wooten, her son, was also given six months and another son is being sought by the officers for retailing.

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WANT SPECIAL TRAIN

V. P. I and A. M. College Game in Norfolk Thanksgiving.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, Nov. 10.—Local lovers of football in this city and in this section of the State as well are agitating the matter of a special train to and from Norfolk on Thanksgiving day for the purpose of witnessing the game between V. P. I. and A. and M. College of this State. The present train schedule necessitattes the loss of some little time in order to make the trip to see this game but it looks as though the Atlantic Coast Line officials will be besieged with a petition asking for a special train. Over a hundred lovers of the game could be carried from this city and it is thought that equally as large a number could be secured from Wilson, and with possibly as many from Tarboro it looks as though a train could be made an assurance from the start. The matter is being agitated here and the officials in this city have turned an attentive ear, but the Passenger department at Wilmington will have to grant the privilege. There is no reason why if this train were operated it should not carry the largest crowd of the year into Norfolk for a single train. The game will undoubtedly be the best of the season anywhere in this section.

GUILFORD FARMER ASSAULTED.

Found With Head Crushed In—Slight Chance for Recovery.

Grensboro, N. C., Nov. 10.—Simpson Coble, a prominent farmer, living about 14 miles south of here, was found in the road near his home at an early hour this morning with his head so badly crushed in that physicians have grave doubts for his recovery. Details are meagre, but from information obtainable the authorities suspect Coble was waylaid by robbers, who beat him into insensibility with stones and made their escape.

KILLED IN COTTON GIN

Youth at Mt. Pleasant Torn to Pieces in Cotton Gin.

Concord, N. C., Nov. 10.—News reached here today that the 12-year-old son of R. L. Overcash was killed yesterday afternoon in a cotton gin at Mount Pleasant, near here. The boy went into the gin house and in some way his clothing got caught in the shafting and his body was litterally torn to pieces, several limbs being torn from the body

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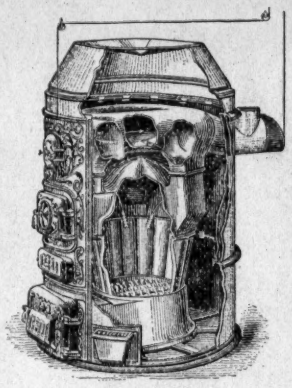

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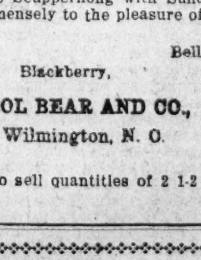

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